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ALL-INCENDIARY RAID ON JAPAN'S CAPITAL

City Reported In Flames

"THE greatest fleet of Super-Fortresses ever assembled to-day attacked Tokyo from bases in the Marianas," Reuter reported last night from Washington, quoting a 20th U.S. Air Force communiqué.

Over 300 Super-Fortresses dropped the largest bombload per aircraft ever carried in a single mission by 20th Bomber Command. The attack was directed against industrial targets, it was stated.

The Super-Fortresses attacked soon after midnight (Tokyo time) from bases on Tinian, Saipan and Guam, in their second night appearance over the city, says Reuter's Correspondent in Guam, Barbara Finch, who cabled later that the raid was an all-incendiary attack—the first of this kind—and left the capital a mass of flames.

A New York Reuter cable states that Japanese Radio yesterday reported that the Tokyo and Yokohama area was raided by at least 50 Super-Fortresses between midnight and 1 a.m. on Saturday. "Fires are still burning," it was stated.

General Masumura, Chief of the Army Press Section of Japanese Imperial Headquarters, said: "The Japanese nation must put forth every ounce of its energy at this critical stage to fight it out to a successful conclusion."

Commenting on a New York report of a new U.S. landing on Mindano Island, Japanese Radio said that a force of 77 U.S. warships, including 4 battleships and 9 cruisers, took part in the landing.

Carndonagh Seizures May Continue

THE situation on the Carndonagh, Co. Donegal, front is quiet, the bailiffs and the police having withdrawn. The townspeople, however, expect their return, together with military reinforcements, on Thursday next, when further seizures will be attempted.

The President, Mr. de Valera, and the Minister for Justice have each replied to the telegrams sent them by the Very Rev. J. Bonner, Chairman of the Town Tenant and Leaseholders' Association, to the effect that nothing can be done to assist the members of their association in their "passive resistance."

In his telegram, Mr. de Valera's secretary, said: "I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of March 1st, and express regret that the Taoiseach has no power to intervene in the matter dealt with in your telegram." The President's secretary replied: "I am desired by the President to acknowledge receipt of your telegram. He asks to express that it is not his practice to intervene in matters of this nature"; and finally, the Minister for Justice, Mr. G. Boland, expressed his regret that he could not do anything.

In an interview with our correspondent last night, the Rev. J. Bonner said that the townspeople were going to stand firm, even though they expected the seizures would be on a bigger scale next time. The largest seizure on Thursday last was a £60 counter-scale from a house, against which there was a decree for £7. £40 worth of furniture was taken where there was a decree for £24. Nine houses have been entered, and 22 are to be dealt with next Thursday. Four householders have been allowed by the landlords to pay their rents.

No action has yet been taken against residents of Mount Charles, who are members of the Town Tenants Leaseholders' Association, but it is believed that they are negotiating with the landlords. Local rumour has it that the affected people in this town, which is 4½ miles from Carndonagh, may refuse to pay their rents, as the Carndonagh residents did two years ago.

A public meeting has been called for to-morrow at Carndonagh, to which representatives of all towns in Donegal are being invited. No T.D.s are to be invited.

Fall of Mandalay is Imminent

THE fall of Mandalay is expected hourly as British, Indians and Gurkhas push in against badly-co-ordinated opposition, states Reuter's special correspondent.

Hard fighting is going on on Mandalay Hill, N.E. of Fort Dufferin, according to headquarters report, which announced that leading elements were meeting resistance in the area of Government House, and that other forces, ...er crossing the Mandalay Canal, were in contact with the Japanese N.E. of the city.

The Japanese, resisting strongly on Mandalay Hill, are in danger of being cut off from those in the city proper through the 14th Army's capture of the racecourse, says Reuter.

Resistance to troops who penetrated south of the walls of Fort Dufferin has not been heavy.

The Chinese 1st Army has moved 2 miles south of captured Lashio in the northern combat area.

German Commando Raid

A small number of German commandos, presumably from the Channel Islands, made a raid on the port of Granville, on the Normandy coast, early yesterday morning.

Some damage was caused, and casualties were suffered on both sides.

The raiders took a small number of prisoners.—(Reuter.)

Black Market "Anarchy" in Belgium

WHEN the Belgian Prime Minister, M. Van Acker, announced yesterday in Brussels that he is handing in to Parliament next Tuesday a new bill on special powers for internal administration he declared that "a state of anarchy" exists in the supply of food, and that the country's stocks are down to zero.

Present legislation, he added, is too weak to stamp out the black market. "Some civil servants are guilty of fraudulent practices, which endanger the moral and physical health of the nation."

Declaring that a purge is necessary in all sections, Van Acker said: "The Government will demand full powers to save the country from corruption."—(Reuter and A.P.)

Mayo Farmers On Murder Charge

John McNicholas, Lismorane, Bohala, and Michael Healy, Gortnasilla, farmers, were arrested late on Thursday night and taken before a Special Court held by District Justice Corry at Swinford Guards station, when they were charged with the murder of John Lavin (47), another farmer, of Gortnasilla.

Lavin's body was found by the roadside two miles outside Swinford on Wednesday night.

The two men were remanded to Charlestown Court on March 14th. At the inquest Dr. John McGrath, State Pathologist, said that death was due to injuries which could have been inflicted with a blunt instrument.

Lavin was walking home from Swinford Fair on Wednesday night when he was killed, and his body was found by Guard Michael McNamara, who, with Dr. Cawley, tried to revive him.

Lavin is survived by his widow and three children.

£2,250 Theft Alleged

Christopher Farrelly (38), Glenarm road, Whitehall, and Kevin Clancy (24), no fixed address, were remanded yesterday in the Dublin District Court, charged with conspiracy and with breaking into 5 Lower Sherrard street and stealing £2,250, the property of Isaac Albert, on February 12th last.

In a statement made to Inspector M. Farrell, Clancy said that, with Farrelly, they went to a house in Lower Sherrard street, where he told a maid he had been sent by Mr. Albert to take measurements for redecorations. The maid admitted them without question. Farrelly then searched the rooms, while Clancy kept watch. From a box in a wardrobe Farrelly took a bundle of notes, and from a small cabinet he took notes which were foreign. Afterwards they counted the notes, and Farrelly gave him £450, of which he gave £400 to the Inspector.

Canadian Premier Sees Roosevelt

Mr. Mackenzie King, the Canadian Prime Minister, arrived in Washington yesterday, and went to the White House for informal conversations with President Roosevelt.

It was understood that the President will give him an intimate report on the Yalta Conference and a review of international security problems to be discussed at San Francisco.—(Reuter.)

Belfast Students' Strike Threat

The students of Queen's University, Belfast, at a meeting last night, passed a resolution protesting against the action of the University authorities in prohibiting the wearing of fancy dress on Students' day, when collections are made in the streets on behalf of local hospitals.

They state that unless the prohibition is withdrawn they will stage a one-day strike and make no collection, which would deprive the local hospitals of £3,000.

City Fire Outbreak

Two rooms were destroyed by a fire which broke out last night in the fourth floor of a house in Upper Abbey street, Dublin.

Two men who went to the assistance of a woman occupant of a flat had to make their way through smoke and flames. The fire was confined to the flat by the Brigade.

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Rapid Expansion of Remagen Bridgehead

Link-up by First and Third Armies

[Reuter and A.P. Reports]

POURING troops and tanks across the Rhine at Remagen, General Hodges yesterday rapidly built up his newly-secured bridgehead—now at least five miles deep and ten miles wide.

German counter-attacks were beaten off, and, under a powerful "umbrella" of bombers and fighter-bombers, the 1st Army captured a number of towns and villages, including Erpel.

Berlin last night reported Allied attempts to cross the Rhine in the Cologne area.

The 1st and 3rd American Armies have joined up at Andernach, according to a radio report received in New York. It had been estimated that elements of ten German divisions were in the gap between the two armies. These forces have now been cut off.

It was disclosed yesterday that the American 9th Armoured Division captured the Ludendorff bridge at Remagen before the Germans had time to blow it up.

According to Reuter and A.P. reports, the bridge was due to be blown up at 4 p.m., but the Americans reached it at 3.50 and managed to remove the detonators in time.

A German military spokesman said:—"The Allied crossing of the Rhine was the result of chance. The Americans discovered there a bridge which just happened not to have been destroyed. They brought weak forces across this to the eastern bank to form a bridgehead."

The German correspondent Max Krull wrote:—"It is a pure chance that the Americans succeeded in crossing. The Rhine bridge did not explode in time. On the other side, the Americans immediately turned south and reached Linz, where they met with the first opposition."

"Strong German attacks have been launched against the bridgehead" said a German war reporter. "Our troops succeeded in throwing back the Americans from the north and recaptured the locality of Unkel on the east bank, three miles north of Remagen Bridge. To the Ahr Valley the Americans attempted to bring up reserves to Remagen and pushed to the south of the Ahr Valley, but were engaged in heavy forest battles."

North of Remagen the Americans are reported to have captured Bonn and Bad Godesberg.

The U.S. 3rd Army has captured Andernach, a Rhine ferry terminus twelve miles north of Coblenz, and Broehl, four miles farther north, thus winning domination of the Rhine from Cologne northward. Mayen, 16 miles west of Coblenz, was also captured. The Germans destroyed the railway bridge midway between Andernach and Coblenz and the vehicular bridge at Coblenz, leaving the Rhine bridgeless on the 3rd Army front.

The heaviest fighting ever engaged in by the Canadian Army entered its thirteenth consecutive day yesterday on the battlefield west of Wesel. British and Canadian troops made advances, but took a ceaseless pounding. Fighting all round the perimeter of the German bridgehead is extremely bitter.

Troops of the 4th Canadian Army have entered the outskirts of Veen, but were thrown out again in savage fighting when the Germans counter-attacked with heavy artillery and mortars. This was tithe second time the Canadians had fought their way into Veen.

The Xanten area has been completely cleared by British troops, who thrust more than a mile to the south-east, where they are meeting heavy opposition.

According to a Berlin report, the Canadians have started a new large-scale offensive against the German positions west of Wesel. The report claimed that the attack collapsed under terrific German counter-fire.

Ruins of the Rhineland town of Neuss, which has been occupied by Allied troops. Neuss is on the west bank, opposite Düsseldorf.

Russians "Pouring" Over Oder Bridges

SPEAKING from the central Oder front over the German radio last night a German war reporter said the Red Army is pouring reinforcements over their Oder bridges by day and by night.

"Soviet troops, attacking from the north and north-west, have blasted a way into the fortress area of Küstrin," said the German Overseas News Agency. A German war reporter, speaking from the Küstrin front, said that Soviet forces have broken into Neustadt, where "fierce house-to-house fighting is raging."

In an order of the day addressed to Marshal Rokossovsky, Marshal Stalin said that troops of the Second White Russian front yesterday occupied the town of Stolp, an important highway and railway centre on the Danzig-Stettin coast road and railway, and a powerful stronghold in the German defences in Northern Pomerania. 200 other places in the Baltic sector were occupied, including Schlawe, Rueguenwalde and Stolpmuende.

Reuter's Military Correspondent says that the capture of Stolp means that Rokossovsky has practically cut the German pocket in the N.E. Pomerania in two.

Duncan Hooper, Reuter's special correspondent in Moscow, cabled:—

The battle of Stettin has begun on land, sea and in the air, and the outskirts of Danzig are being heavily shelled.

German warships are ranging the Stettin lagoon in attempts to give first aid to German forces. The Germans are also massing all available naval craft in the Oder estuary. Other German warships are standing off the coast of the bay of Pomerania.

"Marshal Rokossovsky is launching troops across the complicated system of channels forming the Vistula delta and has opened a new thrust towards Danzig—apparently to complete the encirclement of the port," said Max Krull, German News Agency commentator.

"Marshal Zhukov and Rokossovsky have achieved a major success by their combined offensive, neutralising the threat to the Red Army's western flank." the German commentator, Col. Von Hammer, stated last night. He estimated that at least 11 Soviet armies—from 500,000 to 1,000,000 men—have taken part in this offensive.

"While the Soviets are preparing new large-scale offensives in East Prussia and Kurland, the strategic picture between the lower reaches of the Oder and the Vistula has undergone a radical change," said Colonel von Hammer. "German troops have had to withdraw Griffen-Hagen (12 miles south of Stettin) has been evacuated."

Colonel von Hammer added that while the battle for the Küstrin bridgehead has assumed the character of a major battle the actions on both sides of Frankfurt are only preliminary bouts.

German reports of fighting on the Berlin front remain unconfirmed in Moscow, says Reuter's special correspondent.

More U-Boats Sunk Last Month

During February a moderate number of Allied merchant vessels fell victims to U-boat activity, but the anti-submarine forces were successful in destroying more German submarines than in January, states the monthly Anglo-American statement on U-boat warfare issued in London yesterday.

"Despite satisfactory results now being obtained in the war on undersea raiders," it is added, "our forces must maintain unceasing vigilance, because any enemy with a large number of submarines always possesses a potential threat."—(P.A.)

Earl Lloyd George

There was no change in Earl Lloyd George's condition yesterday. He was still very weak.

New U.S. Army

A NEW U.S. Army—the 15th—has gone into action as part of the 12th Army Group. This Group, commanded by General Bradley, comprises the 1st and 3rd U.S. Armies. Lieut.-General Leonard P. Gerow is the Commander of the new Army.—(Reuter.)

DECISIVE MOMENT OF WAR AT HAND

FROM OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

THE present phase of the Western offensive is now being brought to its logical conclusion by the elimination of the German bridgeheads on the west bank of the Rhine and the total occupation of the Rhineland up to the junction with the Moselle at Coblenz.

It is noticeable that the Germans made no definite effort to retain bridgeheads on the west bank once the elaborate defences of the Siegfried Line had been penetrated; their present holding of certain areas being in the nature of delaying actions designed to facilitate the withdrawal of their forces across the river. This line of action may have been dictated by manpower and equipment problems which compel them to hoard their rapidly diminishing resources, with the object of attempting to hold the Allies on the line of the Rhine and to cover the vital Ruhr industrial area, which not only supplies the bulk of their war equipment but also is the source of the major part of their raw materials, especially coal.

The destruction of Dresden was evidently directed towards eliminating a threat to Koniev's left flank, from the industrial and highly-developed Dresden-Leipzig-Chemnitz area. All these names, whether major or subordinate, reflect a high measure of Allied co-ordination and co-operation. As the situation stands, the decisive moment of the war is close at hand, as the Germans cannot give way on either the Rhine or the Oder and expect to maintain an organised resistance.

Minister Gives Hope to Bookmakers And Owners

THE Government have no intention of "exterminating" bookmakers under the terms of the Racing Board and Racecourses Bill. Neither do they propose to discourage small breeders and owners from maintaining an active part in the horse-breeding industry. All they intend to do is to improve the amenities at racecourses and to ensure that racing will be more prosperous in the future than ever before.

These were some of the important points made by Mr. S. T. O'KELLY, Minister for Finance, when replying to the debate on the bill's second stage in the Dail yesterday.

Their desire, he said, was to make the Racing Board absolutely free of Government interference, to prevent the attendance at racecourses of bookmakers who did not pass on the levy, and to end the many "walk-overs" that were a feature of race meetings "not so long ago."

Having paid tribute to an *Irish Times* editorial on the bill, Mr. O'Kelly advised Mr. P. J. Fogarty, a member of his own party, who had been critical of the measure, "to pay attention to Irish commentators on the bill rather than to go to the source he did for information as to what was thought of the Bill." He said that the only paper that Deputy Fogarty had quoted from was "one that did not carry much weight in this country."

Deploring speeches "from his own side of the House," Mr. O'Kelly said that some of the comments on members of the Turf Club were unworthy and should not have been made. Some of the people mentioned by deputies on his side of the House had done excellent work for the country and for the racing committee without reward.

Breeders, horsemen and spectators knew the good work that the Turf Club and the National Hunt Steeplechase Committee had done, and it was only right that they should be consulted by anyone seeking to set up new legislation for racing in this country.

BOARD'S JOB

Through the levy and the "tote" they hoped to have £150,000 to further the interests of Irish racing. The Racing Board's job would be to improve racing without injuring anyone. He had been told that the amenities at many racecourses needed improving, and that some racecourse executives were making big profits and pocketing them. It would be the Board's job to counteract such practices, and see that the public got better value for their money.

Until the Board was satisfied that amenities had been improved it should be slow to reduce racecourse fees. If the executives did not improve the amenities the Board should do it themselves. In his opinion bookmakers who did not pass on the levy should not be allowed to "stand on the course."

As Minister responsible for the introduction of the bill he would prefer not to be brought in as an arbitrator in regard to anything connected with racing. The "bookies" would, he hoped, have a representative on the Board to voice any grievances, so that he could not see how they were going to suffer any injury.

He had not seen as many comments in Irish newspapers as he would like to see. "I would like," he added, "to know the reactions of the public, but the Press did not give us a great deal of assistance in finding out their views. But one editorial comment I did read was in the *Irish Times* a couple of days ago. It dealt with the bill at considerable length and, I am glad to notice, praised it. In the winding-up of that editorial the *Irish Times* stated, in regard to bookmakers: "The threat of a totalisator monopoly and of their own extinction has been removed, and they will profit more than any other section of the racing community if the sport can be maintained at a prosperous level when peace-time conditions return."

Were it not, he added, for the small owners and breeders the horse-breeding industry would probably die out altogether, and the Government were anxious that they would be encouraged to continue, and would be supported. Many of the country's most famous horses had been bred by small owners.

It certainly was not the intention to give power to increase the charge on bookmakers to £30, £40 or £50.

Urging the provision of bigger stakes, Mr. LIAM COSGRAVE (F.G.) said that pre-war stakes averaged approximately £38. The question of providing proper amenities at racecourses was of the utmost importance, as also was the need for representation on the Board of areas like the West, South, Tramore and the small country meetings. He urged the acceptance of the bill, and said that he was looking forward to the day when Irish horses once again would "act as ambassadors" for this country, and when the Army jumping team would meet and beat all comers in every land.

Mr. J. McCANN (F.F.) suggested that the industry should be put on its merits as a business. He could not see why the racing public should have to pay to improve the management of racing.

Mr. E. COOGAN (F.G.) said that the remarks of Deputies Briscoe and Fogarty in regard to the personnel of the Board were altogether in bad taste and were insulting to people spending a great deal of money in this country. Deputy Briscoe had branded these people as aliens, but he would remind him that the Anglo-Irish gentry had, perhaps, contributed more to national movements here than those whom Deputy Briscoe represented.

Captain P. GILES (F.G.) said that horse-breeding was one of their most important industries, and deserved all the State aid they could give it.

The second stage was agreed to, and the Committee stage fixed provisionally for Wednesday week.

The House adjourned until 3 p.m. on Tuesday next.

PENNY MORE ON DUBLIN CITY RATES

DUBLIN City Rates will be 21/- in the £ next year—an increase of one penny in the pound.

This rate, submitted by the City Manager, was approved by a ... Estimates Committee of Dublin Corporation after a "close investigation," the Lord Mayor (Alderman M. O'Sullivan, T.D.) said last night. Alderman O'Sullivan is Chairman of the Estimates Committee.

The principal increase occurred in the Finance and General Purposes account, and over £40,000 of this increase is due to the higher demand of the Dublin Board of Assistance. The demand of the City of Dublin Vocational Education Committee showed an increase of about £9,000 over the previous year, so that the requirements of both bodies involved an increase of over 5d. in the £.

The City Manager's report stated that the report of last year's estimates proved conclusively that the increase in the city rates was due to the advance in the cost of social service, and that the other city services could be maintained at their present standards on a lower rate than in 1939. It was to be remembered that owing to the emergency some of the city services were operating on curtailed lines, and it was probable that when normal conditions of supply were restored, these services would have to be augmented, with a corresponding increase in cost.

In conclusion, the report stated that it was a matter for satisfaction that the rates, despite increased demands from outside bodies, had only increased by one penny in the pound for the coming year.

The attendance included:—Alderman E. Benson, Alderman P. ... Doyle, T.D.; Councillor John ... Councillor Senator A. Clarke, Councillor P. J. Cahill, and Councillor Senator Denis Healy.

Supply Services Cost More

£47,166,033 WANTED FOR FINANCIAL YEAR

THE estimates for the Supply Services for the financial year, which were issued yesterday, show that the amount required is £47,166,033. The net figure for the financial year 1944-5 was £46,130,689. There has been a steady increase in these Supply Services since the year 1936-7, when the amount was £26,324,000.

The estimate, together with the Central Fund, which usually amounts to around £5,000,000, will form the basis of the coming Budget, but the material available is insufficient to authorise any speculation on what Mr. O'Kelly's taxation limits will be.

The Minister for Finance will give an outline of the position when he moves a Vote on Account for £16,196,000 on next Tuesday in the Dail.

Among the larger increases are a sum of £681,644 for children's allowances, £431,935 for food allowances, £106,710 for the Revenue Commissioners, £149,056 for the Garda, £19,130 for, the Office of Works, £54,020 for superannuation and retiring allowances, £12,316 for Local Government, £93,694 for primary education, £35,460 for secondary and £51,728 for technical education. There is an increase of £91,470 for forestry, transport and meteorological services, £140,574 £160,470 for the Department of Posts and Telegraphs; Army pensions are increased by £37,000, and External Affairs by £9,064.

The decreases included £420,420 on the Army, £102,195 on unemployment insurance, £282,605 on the Department of Agriculture, £200,000 on widows' and orphans' pensions, £45,000 on agricultural subsidies, £14,791 on stationery and printing, £10,000 on old age pensions, £29,464 on public works and buildings.

Heads under which no provision is made include the railways, the alleviation of distress and repayments to the Contingency Fund.

THE SERVICES

The following is the list of departments showing the amounts estimated for each with the increase or decrease as compared with the previous financial year:—

	Total Estimate. £	Increase or Decrease. £
President's Establishment	4,412	+ 535
Houses of the Oireachtas	129,169	+ 2,465
Department of the Taoiseach	17,020	+ 1,449
Comptroller and Auditor-General	23,064	+ 2,130
Office of the Minister for Finance	83,757	+ 4,747
Office of the Revenue Commissioners	1,097,310	+106,710
Old Age Pensions	3,905,250	— 10,000
Management of Government Stocks	22,575	— 175
Office of Public Works	153,110	+ 19,130
Public Works and Buildings	834,441	— 29,464
Haulbowline Dockyard	3,570	+ 40
State Laboratory	11,977	+ 1,325
Civil Service Commission	22,183	+ 1,110
Irish Tourist Board	18,000	+ 3,000
Commissions and Special Inquiries	4,500	— 1,453
Superannuation and Retired Allowances	644,150	+ 54,020
Rates on Government Property	162,780	+ 8,635
Secret Service	20,000	—
Expenses under the Electoral Act and the Juries Act	16,750	—
Miscellaneous Expenses	9,260	— 3,510
Stationery and Printing	181,448	— 14,794
Valuation and Boundary Survey	38,876	+ 3,899
Ordnance Survey	39,298	+ 13,161
Supplementary Agricultural Grants	1,270,989	—
Law Charges	80,400	+ 4,185
Universities and Colleges	162,130	—
Widows' and Orphans' Pensions	250,000	—200,000
Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies	20,390	+ 2,100
Agriculture	984,635	— 282,605
Agricultural Produce Subsidies	825,000	— 45,000
Fisheries	17,486	+ 2,000
Office of the Minister for Justice	53,431	+ 6,084
Garda Síochana	2,416,272	+149,056
Prisons	127,344	+ 6,609
District Court	50,406	+ 3,415
Circuit Court	67,285	+ 2,801
Supreme Court and High Court of Justice	60,751	+ 3,910
Land Registry and Registry of Deeds	56,258	+ 5,192
Public Record Office	5,911	— 559
Charitable Donations and Bequest	3,779	+ 209
Local Government and Public Health	1,894,429	+ 12,316
General Register Office	15,962	+ 1,224
Dundrum Asylum	21,004	+ 1,234
National Health Insurance	480,255	+ 3,179
Office of the Minister for Education	228,852	+ 22,340
Primary Education	4,156,733	+ 93,654
Secondary Education	603,490	+ 35,460
Technical Instruction	414,725	+ 57,713
Science and Art	67,055	+ 12,223
Reformatory and Industrial Schools	134,890	+ 440
National Gallery	5,127	+ 320
Lands	1,316,458	+ 52,477
Forestry	256,651	+ 93,061
Civilian Services	11,960	— 3,439
Industry and Commerce	327,465	+ 19,969
Transport and Meteorological Services	758,294	+140,574
Children's Allowances	2,220,602	+681,444

RENOVATIONS

Details given in the volume of Estimates show the following items:—

A sum of £5,376 is being provided for the adaptation and renovation of Johnstown Castle, Co. Wexford, which is to be converted into an agricultural college. Of this sum it is estimated that £1,650 will be spent in the coming year. Renovations at the Tully Stud Farm are provisionally estimated to cost £6,950, and it is expected that the work will be completed in the coming year. Additional accommodation is to be provided at the Veterinary Research Laboratory, the cost of which has not yet been determined, but £1,000 will be spent during the year. A new garda barrack is to be provided at Athlone at a cost of £16,250. New barracks are also to be built at Newmarket-on-Fergus, Kilkenny, Dunleer, and at Ballintogher and Enniscrone, Co. Sligo.

The automatic telephone system is to be introduced in Cork City, and a new exchange, the cost of which has not yet been determined, is to be erected for its accommodation.

Additional accommodation for the Oireachtas is estimated to cost £3,000. The £3,000 grant-in-aid of King's Inns Library is being dropped. Grants to periodicals published in Irish and newspapers publishing current news in Irish are being increased by £600 from £1,400. There is an additional £8,065 for veterinary research. Temporary schemes in connection with farm improvements have an additional £5,652 allocated to them, and an extra £9,233 is being provided for the purpose of the Emergency Powers Tillage Orders.

The strength of the Garda is to be 17,444, compared with 17,320 in the current year. Of the net increase in the Garda vote, salary increases account for £173,487. The provision for the Local Security Force is being reduced from £120,750 to £35,750. Children's allowances are estimated to cost £2,185,000, an increase of £685,000 on 1944-45.

There is an increased provision of £88,600 for the salaries of teachers and capitation grants.

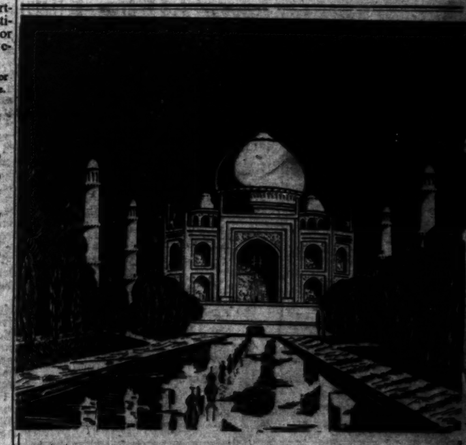
Food subsidies are estimated to cost £3,070,000, an increase of £224,000, and the fuel subsidy is to cost £1,433,000, an increase of £253,000. A sum of £38,000, an increase of £19,000, is being provided for preliminary development of bogs.

A sum of £12,750 is provided for the treatment of venereal disease, as compared with £10,500 in the previous year. The grants to local authorities will be calculated on a basis of 75 per cent. of approved expenditure. There is an increase in the amount to be granted for the treatment of consumptives, £190,000, as compared with £173,000 last year. Grants for the development of bogs by local authorities, at £62,000, are lower than the previous year, when £98,000 was provided. The increased grant for forestry includes an item of £55,000 for cultural operations and maintenance.

Japanese "Take Over" French Indo-China

The Japanese have taken over the full administration of French Indo-China, states a Japanese communiqué, quoted by German Radio. The message said: "The Japanese expeditionary forces in French Indo-China have found it impossible, in face of the insincere attitude of the French Indo-China authorities, to continue to exercise the joint defence of French Indo-China, and in accordance with the decision to defend the country and in order to eliminate enemy influences the Japanese expeditionary forces have taken the necessary steps."—(Reuter.)

Japanese Lose 12 Ships—Twelve Japanese vessels, including an escort carrier and a destroyer, have been sunk in Far Eastern waters by U.S. submarines, the U.S. Navy reported yesterday.—(Reuter.)



AT Agra, India, stands what has been described as one of the loveliest pieces of architecture in existence—the Taj Mahal. When Shah Jehan's wife, Mumtaz Mahal, died, he resolved to build her a memorial such as men had never seen before. Architects, sculptors and builders were summoned from East and West and in 1650, after 20 years unceasing toil, this exquisite dream in marble was completed. It is an eight sided building of white marble, 130 feet long and wide and nearly 200 feet high. Flanked on each side by slender minarets, it stands on red sandstone and is surrounded by stately Persian gardens and quiet pools. The walls inside are covered with floral designs picked out in onyx, jasper, cornelian and other semi-precious stones. Shah Jehan and the wife he so dearly loved sleep beneath the great central dome. Magnificent in its sweeping vastness, this requiem in marble, white and unearthly by the majestic river Jumna is the most beautiful monument in the world. Taj Mahal, "gem of buildings," an everlasting tribute of a man's love for a woman.

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"Trilby" and the Bohemian Novel

By Temple Lane

I PICKED up a first edition of George du Maurier's "Trilby"—text and drawings—in Dublin the other day for one and sixpence, and I am still wondering what motive induced the owner of this treasure to part with it.

The book made its sensational appearance in 1895. It was dramatised more sensationally still; but the engaging and intimate qualities of the writing would be lost in a stage or film version. Upon the printed page its melodrama will remain persuasive as long as the Bohemia of "A Winter's Tale" has a sea-coast.

It owed—and still owes—its success as much to manner as to matter. At the time of publication it presented, with just sufficient romanticism, the Bohemian life to a strict and a jaded society—from which the Heir Apparent to the English Throne had escaped to another group, which, if not Bohemian, was at least not regal either. (The fact is touched upon just once in "Trilby.")

My dictionary defines the noun Bohemian as: "A gipsy (because the gipsies were supposed to come from Bohemia): one who leads a free, irregular life, despising social conventionalities." "Trilby" is a story, not of the Nineties, but of the Fifties in retrospect: of the artistic life in Paris, which never palls, with a central section descriptive of fashionable life in London—which is very dull, indeed! When I first discovered the tale in its splendour at the age of thirteen, I left out (and how rightly!) all this central section: every adult should do the same. Nothing happens in it, except for the social historian: the hero holds a dreary conversation with what Mr. Eric Newton calls "one of those anthropomorphic dogs," and decides against marriage with his second-best love because her father cannot accept "The Origin of Species." But the book miraculously floats, despite this block of lead.

The Perfect Title

And how superb it is! Admittedly it "dates": great work can be as dated as Dickens, or it can be out of date (like Blake's) for its own time, as we speak of a picture being out of focus. To the student of literature its *provenance* is interesting because, together with "The Blessed Damozel" and Hewlett's "Forest Lovers," it completes a trilogy exemplifying the effect of the Pre-Raphaelite movement, not in painting but in literature itself. The first of these is a painter's poem: "Trilby" is the novel of an accomplished draughtsman who had succeeded John Leech as delineator of the Victorian scene in *Punch*. Hewlett was a writer, pure but not always simple. What a flash of revolutionary prescience was exacted when the staid firm of Macmillan published his romance, for which "Trilby" had set the tone in the disarming intimacy of the author's conversational narrative style and "asides"!

"Trilby" is a good example of the perfect title. This is the heroine's name, with an onomatopoeic quality the significance of which only becomes clear as the story proceeds, from her first grotesque vocalising to the climax of her singing career. There is always a dramatic sense of urgency, not obscured by the overtones—the appearance of leisure, the endearing lapses into personal rumination, the attractive and undated sketches of minor characters.

Trilby Herself

As a literary agent once told me, the plot has whiskers on it. That is true now, but was not true in 1895. The hero's place is taken by "three musketeers of the brush, although the official hero is "Litrebili"—the Quartier's rendering of Little Billee. He shares a studio with the delightful Yorkshireman, Taffy, and a Scot called The Laird. Trilby O'Ferrall is the orphaned daughter of an Irish father and a Scottish mother, neither of them over-respectable. She breaks into the studio, and into the narrative, with tremendous energy and charm. She is kindly, common, beautiful: her feet especially are a composite poem. She is also a model "for the figure"—how shocking to respectability! Both Taffy and Litrebili fall in love: Taffy holds back unselfishly; Litrebili proposes nineteen times, and is accepted only at the twentieth. Unfortunately, Trilby has other drawbacks when envisaged as the wife of a fashionable English painter. Litrebili's conventional but likable mother appeals to "her better nature," and she disappears temporarily from his life.

Here the Pre-Raphaelite influence works in. By the end of the book Trilby is absolutely provided with a halo—"a gentle martyr on earth, a blessed saint in Heaven."

For there is a malign influence, too, the Polish Jew, Svengali. Du Maurier has lifted him bodily out of the horrific illustrations by George Cruikshank in Ainsworth's novels, equating him to any villain and clearing himself—cleverly and rightly—of any charge of anti-Semeticism. Svengali has genius, but of a sinister kind. As a *grisette*, Trilby was known to have a voice of extraordinary power and compass, but she was completely tone-deaf. Svengali met her again when she was anchorless, and repeated upon her the hypnotism he had practised in the Paris days. She became under this influence a world-famous singer; but she only sang in public for two years, for reasons which the reader is left to discover.

The Pictures

There is nothing sinister in the spell cast by "Trilby." To one du Maurier addict, at least, the illustrations are inseparable from the text. Here is the Paris of foreigners who (apart from the tourists) know Paris and love her—this Paris is ageless, and du Maurier speaks for all. "Trilby" was already a "period" novel at first publication—it is virtually a historical novel now; and the lavishness and prodigality—of words, of emotions, of sensations correct and presentable but vibrating to infinity—produce a "willing suspension of disbelief" in its more fantastic elements. Trilby herself becomes credible and adorable; the reader takes for good friends Taffy and the narrator. Delicious, too, are his chance remarks—"Trilby" is worth possessing for these alone. "There is no class so genial and sympathetic as *our own* in the long run—even if it be but the criminal class!"

Volumes have been written upon the re-discovery of lovers who meet late in life to find their previous feelings unchanged. No writer has celebrated the emotional satisfaction of reunion with our early loves in poetry and prose, when, with a more fastidious palate, we approve the taste of youthful enthusiasms. I pass on the re-discovery of "Trilby," a breath of clean air in a room long closed.

Rebuilding Britain

Rebuilding Britain: A Twenty-Year Plan. By Sir Ernest Simon. Gollancz. 6/- net.

THE necessity for post-war planning, which may alter our entire conception of democratic life, is now obvious to all thoughtful observers, and this scholarly and well-informed volume by Britain's leading authority on municipal government is bound to have wide influence. If the task of rebuilding Britain is enormous, and if town planning as a science has progressed further in other countries, nevertheless British achievements in the inter-war periods have been considerable. In 1919 there were some 8,000,000 houses in Great Britain; in the subsequent twenty years no fewer than 4,000,000 new houses were built—that is, 50 *per cent.* of the original total. True, smaller families demand more houses, even for a static population, but such a figure augurs well for post-war capacity, though the demand may be so great that Sir Ernest Simon can envisage a situation in which the ordinary householder and business man will be prevented from spending more than £5 or £10 annually on unlicensed repairs, until the first pressure of the housing shortage is over. All interested in town-planning and local government should read this encyclopædic work.

Deep Waters

Macpherson's Voyages. Edited by John Scott Hughes. Methuen. 15s. net.

AN interesting account is given here of voyages made in the 32-foot cutter, Driac, in which the late A. G. H. Macpherson, with his devoted companion, Bill Leng, sailed over 45,000 miles across oceans, and visited nearly one hundred countries as far apart as Iceland, the West Indies, the East Indies, India, Africa, the Mediterranean and the Baltic States. It was not until his late fifties that Mr. Macpherson enjoyed any small boat sailing, and he was touching sixty when the voyages now described were begun. Seaman will recognise that it was not the smallness of his vessel which makes Mr. Macpherson's voyages chiefly remarkable. So long as she is properly rigged and handled, and keeps away from the land in bad weather, any covered-in small craft of reasonable design is as safe at sea as is the vessel many hundreds of times her size, though perhaps the skill and stamina exacted of the seaman is in inverse proportion to the size of his vessel. More remarkable was the very great number of ports and places visited.

"The Circle"

ONE of the articles in *The Circle* (Winter, 1944, 1/-), organ of the Dublin Writers' Circle, is entitled "The Great, Though Unknown," and is a plea for the encouragement of young writers. Unhappily, one can see few traces of undiscovered greatness in the work published in the magazine. D. J. O'Sullivan, whose poems have been published in *The Bell*, shows up best with a short story, "The Keeper." The plot is indifferent; but the lighthouse setting is well drawn, from first-hand experience, and the descriptive writing is quite excellent. Hamilton Allen starts a bank story quite promisingly, but trips over Irish dialect—"And how much wud ye be afther chancin' on Gay Galloper, sor?"—and is flattened by the end. A re-written version of the St. Peter's denial of Christ needs a more skilful pen than that of Constance Maunsell. "Fitz" tells well and fluently the simple story of "Danny Geary's Geese"; this sort of work is much more convincing than the pseudo-sophisticated "First-Class," by M. P. Wall. A plea for young writers is all very well; but they must go further than the imitation of the cheaper English magazine fiction before they can claim support.

Fifty Years of "T.C.D."

T.C.D.: An Anthology, 1895-1945. Printed by the "Kerryman" for the T.C.D. Publishing Co. 6/6 net.

"A CONTINUOUS life of fifty years," writes Dr. D. A. Webb, the editor of this volume, in his preface, "is an achievement of which any paper may justly feel proud; for a University weekly, it is something in the nature of a minor miracle." In the case of *T.C.D.*, the miracle assumes remarkable magnitude. It is written and published by the exertions of an unpaid staff of undergraduates; it receives no support, financial or moral, from the College authorities; it appears eighteen times a year, as compared with three times for most of its contemporaries; it has had a credit balance only twice in its history; and it has to find the bulk of its purchasers among the most fickle of all followings—the undergraduate body. Nevertheless, *T.C.D.* has been published without a break for the last fifty years; and in this anthology, issued to mark its Golden Jubilee, we are given the opportunity to judge the fruits of half a century's activity.

Many well-known names appear on the list of contributors, which is given in the form of an index to the pseudonyms of the writers. Dr. E. H. Alton, the present Provost; Professors W. R. Fearon, W. B. Stanford and H. O. White are among the present members of the University staff represented in the anthology's pages. Among the others we find Sir James Monroe, Robert Yelverton Tyrrell, J. E. Healy (late editor of the *Irish Times*), J. C. Forrester, Dr. Newport White, Senator T. C. Kingsmill-Moore, K.C.; Oliver St. J. Gogarty, the poets, J. Lyle Donaghy and Patrick MacDonogh; the Rev. R. P. McDermott, L. J. D. Richardson and Barry St. J. Galvin. From the works of these, and very many more, Dr. Webb has made his admirable selection.

Memories

It is to the old Trinity man, naturally, that the anthology will make most appeal; and the long span of years which it covers is an assurance that it will have something for him, whatever his generation. Is he of what an American might call "the class of '95"? Then he may recall the tumult of "The 1895 Election," in which Lecky was challenged by an oarsman, and may appreciate Tyrrell's references (in Latin verse) to Cathcart. The "man of '13" will delight in J. M. F. Leland's Aristophanic comedy on the founding of the College "Co-op.," with its sketch of Mahaffy and its side-references to Tom Kettle and A.E. The Primus stove may be unknown to the modern student, but Professor White's "Primi Primorum" will bring memories to many; and John Healy's "Interlude" (1896) shows that the day of the College Races changes little, even in almost fifty years. Mahaffy is celebrated again in Gogarty's famous poem, "The Death of Diogenes, the Doctor's Dog." Dr. Webb himself contributes a brilliant verse-play on the 1943 Senate Elections.

Light Verse

Naturally, light verse makes up the bulk of the book; it goes well into anthologies, and *T.C.D.*—almost its only home in Ireland—has always been rich in it. It ranges from the squib—

That Smith had won I heard the night before;
He'd get the last, they said, with 64.
I asked him round, put strychnine in his tea,
And so I got a School, with 63

—to the playlet, from the strict form of the triolet—

I *suppose* it's all night!
Is this evening the third?
There's music, there's light,
I *suppose* it's all right.
If it *is* the wrong night
Will they give me the bird?
I *suppose* it's all right!
Is this evening the third?

—to the loose ballad metre of "Dan O'Connell v. Biddy Moriarty." There is some serious verse, too—some of much merit—but it does not maintain the same level of accomplishment; one could scarcely expect it to do so.

Some of the best things, however, are among the prose items. One of them is unsigned—the extremely funny account of a trial in an Indian court, entitled "The Evidence of Mahdo Singh." Another is the work of Mr. R. B. D. French, who, with ten pieces in this volume—only very few people have more than two—may be accounted the star contributor. All his work, verse and prose, is good, but the best of all is his guide to the technique of the obituary notice with its key to phrasing—as:

...possessed a fund of genial anecdote.	Bored everybody with ancient and interminable jokes.
...could not suffer fools gladly	Was a boor and a bully.

Not only *T.C.D.*, the College Miscellany, but Trinity College, Dublin, ought to be proud of this anthology, which collects the best works of many generations of undergraduates; for they will bear comparison, for wit and talent, with any similar works produced anywhere. All readers will echo the wish enshrined by Mr. French in the prefatory Ode to *T.C.D.*:

So still provide, as in the past,
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PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

Collins: British Botanists, by John Gilmour (4/6); Summercreu Masterpieces, by Thomas Bodkin (12/6).

Michael Joseph: The Poems of a Countryman, by Sir William Beach Thomas (6/-); Island In The Sky, by Ernest Gann (8/6).

Oxford University Press (London: Milford): Canadian North, by Malcolm MacDonald (10/6); The Labyrinth, by Nathaniel Micklem (4/6).

Gollancz: I See a New China, by George Hogg (6/-); And Yet I Like America, by J. L. Hodson (10/6); Glory and Bondage, by Edgar Snow (10/6); A New Life, by Elmer Rice (3/6); Tales and Tales, by Nancy Price (7/6).

Faulks: Whoopsin, by C. A. N. May (8/6).

Constable: Tedious and Brief, by James Bridie (10/-); The Anatomy of Courage, by Lord Moran (8/6).

Ward, Lock: The Forgotten Story, by Suzanne Grahsin (8/6); Two Strange Ladies, by Henry S. Keeler (8/6).

Seale: Single Women, by Frances Meredith (3/-).

Macmillan: Collected Poems of Sylvia Lynd (6/-).

A Pioneer of Journalism

The First War Correspondent. By Rupert Furneaux. Cassell. 12/6 net.

WILLIAM HOWARD RUSSELL was the first newspaper reporter to travel with an army and send home accounts of what really was happening. He was an Irishman, and his first assignment for his paper, *The Times*, was an Irish parliamentary election. When only 23 years of age he reported the trial of Daniel O'Connell, and his paper would have had a "scoop" had he not given the result to a man who, he thought, was an employee of *The Times*, but really a clever fellow from the *Morning Herald*. He described the famine of 1846; and in all his subsequent career, full of the horrors of war, he "never beheld sights so shocking as those which met my eyes in that famine tour of mine in the West."

Russell's fame was derived principally from his dispatches from the Crimea. For the first time in history the British public were told how their soldiers were living and dying. For the first time in history their military leaders were criticised in a newspaper. The circulation of *The Times* jumped to 51,000, sometimes to 60,000—remarkable figures when it is realised that the price was fivepence a copy (and fivepence in 1854 was worth about 2s. 6d. to-day). The paper rose to the zenith of its power. The disclosures that it made, chiefly through the vigorous chronicles of Russell, stirred the country, caused the downfall of a Ministry, and influenced the direction of the entire campaign in the Crimea.

As a correspondent in India, Russell was equally outspoken. He attacked the campaign of cruelty and vengeance that followed the Sepoy Mutiny. He foresaw the years of future trouble that were being built by those who cried out for blood. He went to the United States for the Civil War there, but he was unhappy, and was made to feel uncomfortable by the Federals, which is not surprising in view of the fact that *The Times* backed the Confederates, though Russell personally was in favour of the northerners.

"News-getting"

His record in the Franco-Prussian War was not so notable, for fine writing and more authoritative information were of little value when they arrived days behind the stories of some of the rival papers. Mr. Furneaux's chapters on the Franco-Prussian war are most useful for their accounts of the ways and means employed by Russell's rivals to get their stories as quickly as possible to London. One of them, the famous Archibald Forbes, could walk thirty or forty miles to get his message off while the others were searching for a conveyance. To secure an "exclusive" account of the German entry into Paris in 1871 *The Times* employed a special train from Paris to Calais, a special steamer to Dover and another special train to London. Even so, Forbes arrived in London very soon after *The Times*' story.

Mr. Furneaux has not written a modern style of book; yet it is extremely interesting, in places stirring, and it adds something to the casual student's knowledge of history. The grammatical style is poor in places, and infinitives are split with such consistency that the author must have chopped them up by design rather than by accident.

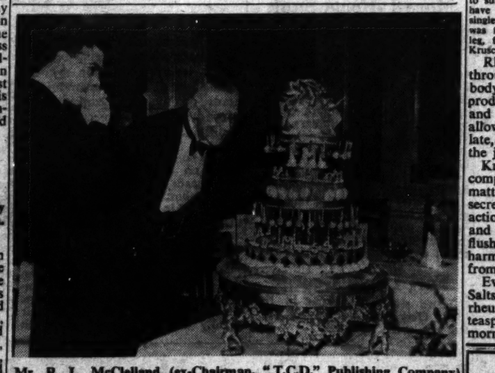
H. C. B.

Climate and Life

Climate Makes the Man. By Clarence A. Mills. Gollancz. 7/6 net.

THE author, a distinguished American scientist, claims that two external forces — climate, the long-term average of atmospheric conditions, and weather, the short-cycle changes which make one day or hour different from the next—have an extraordinary and dominating effect on man. They affect man's rate of growth, speed of development, resistance to infection, fertility of mind and body, and the amount of energy available for thought or action. The heat of the tropics lulls people into a passive complacency, and saps their vitality; residents of colder climates are driven onwards into restless activity, since natural conditions permit their tissue fires to burn more brightly. Man as an energy machine thinks and acts only because of the burning of food in his tissues, but the speed of this burning, and the intensity of his living, depend largely upon outside temperatures, and how easily he can get rid of his waste heat.

Revolution and conquest have always been considered to spring from the deep inner urgings of people, in the one case from the desire for freedom from tyranny, and in the other from the desire of a few men for power. Prof. Mills believes that the development and growth of those urgings are linked in the most surprising fashion to the rise and fall of the mercury in the thermometers. To quote only two of many such incidents in world history mentioned in the book, the French Revolution and period of Napoleonic conquest took place in the only period of prolonged cold in almost a century.



Mr. R. L. McClelland (ex-Chairman, "T.C.D." Publishing Company) and Mr. R. H. Ryland (Editor, 1896) inspect the birthday cake at the Silver Jubilee Dinner of "T.C.D."

The Only Door Out. By Mary Wilkes. Faber and Faber. 8/6 net.

Miss Wilkes's novel is curiously inconsistent. She has a pronounced flair for dialogue and characterisation, and her account of Lucy Armyne's infancy, adolescence and university career is most cleverly condensed. But, when Lucy enters a teaching community of Anglican nuns and proceeds to discipline her life along lines completely at variance with her expressed emotions, the conviction of the story begins to falter. In short, whereas the earthly side of Lucy's nature is originally and amusingly developed, her subsequent life of enlightened self-denial is a little shocking. There is, however, no questioning the brilliance of Miss Wilkes's story-telling.

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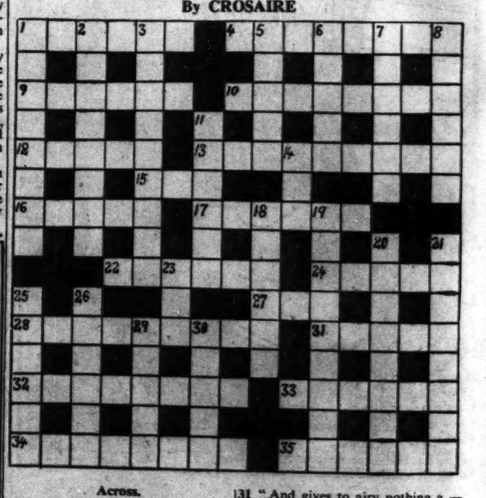

Across.

1 Without his head, this knight has three feet (6).
4 Dislike an account (8).
9 Introducing Y (6).
10 Hold tight around an organ in the forest (8).
12 Dend? (5).
13 Is X in this month? (9).
15 Wee? (3).
16 It's not made by the batsman (5).
17 Are, perhaps, in trees, but it will be in the ground (6).
22 His herbal mush (6).
24 He shook hands with me when I met him (5).
27 See what is left when that is gone (3).
28 A nice turn (anagram) (9).
31 "And gives to airy nothing a — habitation and a name" (A Midsummer Night's Dream) (5).
32 The part of the Iberian peninsula is in a state of dramatic confusion (8).
33 Virginals' descendants (6).
34 Such a liver is torn around the flank (8).
35 Cut off the head and an inverted stone remains (6).

Down.

1 Seen, perhaps (8).
2 Their emblem was white (8).
3 Can you make a dairy sure of what is left? (9).
5 Adieux? (5).
6 Studies about short notices (5).
7 I make them an offer in the same passage (6).
8 Headless horsemen turn black (6).
11 Cannon (6).
14 This ale is run through (3)
18 Fret about timber (6).
19 The moon, for instance (9).
20 You can make Canaan do for this (8).
21 They push themselves about (8).
23 It is upside down (3).
25 "Gayly the troubadour touched his —" (Bayly) (6).
26 A company among saints (6).
29 Bound (5).
30 A profit more than once (5).

(SOLUTION NEXT WEEK)

SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD No. 104.

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RADIO TRADE
Interested parties are invited to apply at the Department of Industry and Commerce, Kildare Street, Dublin, not later than 12th March, at 2.30 p.m., for the post of Radio Adviser, Trade Section. Experience of radio trade matters essential. Salary £350 per annum. Applications must be in own handwriting, stating age, qualifications and experience, and must be accompanied by copies of not more than three recent testimonials. Envelopes should be marked "Radio Adviser."

IRISH LAND COMMISSION
TIMBER FOR SALE
Offers are invited for the purchase of the Fireswood Timber standing on the lands of Drumnagh Wood, Loughshinny, about midway between Castleknock and Lusk, in the parish of Ballyboughal, in the county of Dublin.
The Timber is to be Sold by Auction and consists approximately of the following:—
Nos. and Species—226 Ash, 177 Oak, 157 Alder, 19 Spruce.
For removal the purchasers will be allowed 6 months.
Prospective purchasers may inspect the Timber by arrangement with the Caretaker in Charge, Mr. F. P. O'Connor, Ballyboughal.
Offers are also invited for the purchase of the Commercial and Firewood Timber on the Lands of Ballysmuttan, between Coldcoyne and Drumnagh.
The Timber is to be Sold by Auction and consists approximately of the following:—
COMMERCIAL.—Nos. and Species—Silver Fir, 6 Scots Pine, 44 Oak, 58 Chestnut, 157 Beech, 101 Ash, 1 Elm, 12 Elm, 13 Poplar, 2 Alder.
Top and Top of the Commercial Trees.
The sum offered for the purchase of above Commercial Timber will be required to be set out in the Tender and an estimate of the tonnage thereof.
For removal the purchasers will be allowed 6 months.
Prospective purchasers may inspect the Timber by arrangement with the Caretaker in Charge, Mr. F. Toball, Irishtown, Nas, Sligo, and must satisfy themselves as to the quantity and as to the numbers, volumes and value of the respective species.
Tenders for any or all of the above, to specify the numbers of the respective species, their gross volume or weight, and the price per unit of weight, after deducting the usual bark allowance as shown in Part I of the Schedule of Forest Produce Orders, 1944; prices of Scots Pine per cubic foot Hoppus measure, and the uses to which the Timber is to be put.
The Tenders should be set out in Forms, which may be obtained from the Land Commission, Estates Division, Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, and should be addressed to the Secretary, Land Commission, Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, not later than noon on 24th March, 1945.
Intending purchasers must deposit with their Tender and envelopes should be addressed to the Secretary, Land Commission, Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, not later than noon on 24th March, 1945.
The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and no offer will be considered unless the proposed purchaser has been issued with a permit under the Emergency Powers (Control) Order, 1941.
FIREWOOD.—Nos. and Species—Ash, 3 Beech, 100 Horse Chestnut, 8 Oak, 3 Ash, 2 Alder, 1 Elm, 1 Holly, 1 Sally, 4 Hazel, 1 Spruce, 4 Rowan, 19 Lime, 11 Birch.

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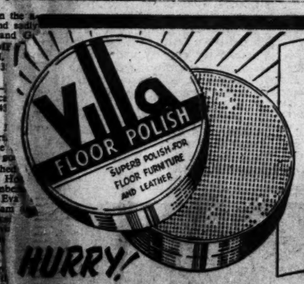

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Also Basil Rathbone, in "SHERLOCK HOLMES IN WASHINGTON"
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Owing to the length of this film, prices of admission will be 1/4 and 2/6, with a limited number of seats bookable at 3/6. Book now. Please Note, no performance of "Gone With The Wind" on Saturday Afternoon, owing to Irish Film Society's Matinée.
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Jennifer Jones, in Jim Werfel's
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3.45, 6.5, 8.25.
June Allyson, Van Johnson, in
"TWO GIRLS AND A SAILOR."
SUNDAY:
Alexis Smith, Lloyd Nolan, in
"STEEL AGAINST THE SKY."
Also Big Boy Williams, in
"MYSTERIOUS MR. SHEFFIELD."
MONDAY:
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Sunday, at 3.15 and 8 o'c.—Ray Milland, Jean Arthur, Edward Arnold: "Easy Living."
To-day—Fred MacMurray, Paulette Goddard: "The Forest Rangers." 2.35, 4.46, 6.57, 9.8.

GREEN —4.0, 6.30, 9.0—LESLIE HOWARD, "ESCAPE TO HAPPINESS." Also ANNA NEAGLE, "PEG OF OLD DRURY."

First Race, 2.45 p.m. Last Race, 5.40 p.m.

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Dad coir iarrtaoiri, agus iad ar an bpraim cuibe, do beit ireig inf an Oifig reo De Luain, 26ao MARTA, nO roime sin.

Ni mor do na h-iarrtaoiri go n-ionduil, cuig bliadain de feirdir, ar a laigead, mar oroi aithio do beit cuspa aca, an peim "an-dheacrac" do beit aca, agus an Tearcar Da-Ceangac no an Curo-Tearcar fa Saeoirs a beit aca.

Ir feirdir go gcuirfead sonad marcala an bun in aon ait ar fuaro Eireann acc fuineann oireamhad de scrudaitheoiri congasta beit ag fagail ran air, nO gairid di.

MICEAL BREATNAC, Runaire.

Oifig an Oideacair Naisiunta, Baile Atha Cliath,
Marta, 1945.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
TIMBER FOR SALE.
Offers are invited for the Purchase of Firewood Timber standing on the Lands of Druminagh Wood, Loughlynn, situated about midway between Castlerea and Ballaghaderreen.
The Timber is to be Sold by Tender, and consists approximately of the following:—
Nos. and Species—226 Ash, 212 Birch, 177 Oak, 157 Alder, 19 Spruce, and 22 Beech.
For removal the purchasers will be allowed 6 months.
Prospective purchasers may inspect the Timber by arrangement with Inspector-in-Charge, Mr. F. F. O'Connor, Irish Land Commission, Castlerea, Co. Roscommon, and must satisfy themselves as to the numbers, volumes and utility of the respective species.
Offers are also invited for the Purchase of Commercial and Firewood Timber standing on the Lands of Ballysumaghan, situated between Colloony and Dromahaire.
The Timber is to be Sold by Tender, and consists approximately of the following:—
COMMERCIAL.—Nos. and Species—18 Silver Fir, 6 Scots Pine, 44 Oak, 46 Spruce, 68 Chestnut, 157 Beech, 101 Ash, 25 Sycamore, 12 Elm, 13 Poplar, 7 Birch, and 2 Alder.
Lop and Top of the Commercial Timber.
The sum offered for the Lop and Top of above Commercial Timber on the basis of Firewood must be set out separately in the Tender and an estimate given of the tonnage thereof.
For removal the purchasers will be allowed 8 months.
Prospective purchasers may inspect the Timber by arrangement with Inspector-in-Charge, Mr. F. Tohall, Irish Land Commission, Sligo, and must satisfy themselves as to the numbers, volumes and utility of the respective species.
Tenders for any or all of the Trees must specify the numbers of the various species, their gross volume or weight, the net volume or weight, after deducting the appropriate bark allowance as shown in Column 6 of Part 1 of the Schedule of the Emergency Powers Order, 1944; prices offered either by cubic feet Hoppus measure or by weight, and the uses to which the Timber will be put.
The Tenders should be on the prescribed Form, should be sent in the envelopes provided, and should be addressed to reach the Secretary, Land Commission, 24 Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, not later than 12 o'clock noon on 24th March, 1945.
Intending purchasers requiring Forms of Tender and envelopes should make early application to the Secretary, Land Commission, 24 Upper Merrion Street, Dublin.
The highest or any Tender may not necessarily be accepted, and no sale can be concluded unless the proposed purchaser has been issued with a permit to purchase under the Emergency Powers (Control of Timber) Order, 1941.
FIREWOOD.—Nos. and Species—37 Beech, 100 Horse Chestnut, 11 Sycamore, 31 Oak, 94 Alder, 180 Ash, 10 Elm, 6 Spruce, 2 Holly, 6 Sally, 4 Hazel, 1 Larch, 4 Silver Fir, 4 Rowan, 19 Lime, 2 Poplar, and 13 Birch.

RADIO TRADE—DUBLIN.
Interested parties are invited to attend at the Department of Industry and Commerce, Kildare Street, on Tuesday (next), 13th March, at 2.30 p.m. (sharp), and submit evidence at a PUBLIC SITTING of the Wage Advisory Tribunal, functioning under Emergency Powers (No. 200) Order, 1941, which will investigate and report to the Minister for Industry and Commerce upon applications for Wages (Standard Rate) and Bonus Orders on behalf of ELECTRICIANS and/or RADIO MECHANICS employed in RADIO Manufacturing, Servicing and Repairing in the area of the County Borough of DUBLIN.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE FAITH MISSION.
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Will D.V. be Held on
SATURDAY NEXT, 17TH MARCH, 1945,
IN THE MINOR HALL, Y.M.C.A., LOWER ABBEY STREET.
Speakers:
Mr. J. WATTERS, Milford.
Mr. W. BLACK, Faith Mission.
Mrs. J. RODGERS, Cookstown.
Soloists at both Meetings: Miss A. Tarlton, A.T.C.L.; Mr. J. Rodgers, Cookstown.
Meetings at 4.0 and 7.0 p.m. All Welcome.

THE MISSION TO LEPERS.
A SALE OF WORK,
To Raise Funds for an Increased Water Supply at Bhagalpur Leper Colony, India, Will be held (D.V.) in
THE H.C.M.S. HALL, 35 MOLESWORTH STREET,
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OLYMPIA THEATRE, DAME STREET, TO-DAY, at 3.15 p.m.
Doors Open 2.45 p.m. Admission 1/- & 1/6.
FOR OTHER PUBLIC NOTICES SEE PAGE 5.

CHURCH NOTICES.

DUBLIN METHODIST OVERSEAS ANNIVERSARY.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 10th MARCH, 1945.
YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING,
IN THE
CENTENARY CHURCH,
ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN,
At 7 p.m.
Chairman: J. W. LUDLOW, Esq.
Speaker: REV. G. BASIL JACKSON, M.A. (of Ceylon).
Parade of Youth Organisations.
MISSIONARY SERMONS IN ALL CITY CHURCHES ON SUNDAY, 11th MARCH, 1945.
CENTRAL MEETING ON TUESDAY, 13th MARCH, 1945.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL
SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 1945,
3.15 p.m. Doors open 2.30.
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UNITARIAN CHURCH,
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SUNDAY, 18th MARCH, 1945.
Subjects:
11.30 a.m.—SCIENTIFIC CHRISTIANITY.
7.30 p.m.—THE FALLACY OF NUMBERS.
Preacher: Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A. (Oxon.)

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH,
LOWER LEESON STREET.
THE ANNUAL SERMON,
WITH OFFERINGS ON BEHALF OF THE MAGDALEN HOME,
WILL BE PREACHED TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), at 11 a.m., by
The Reverend CANON CAMPBELL, M.A.

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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
FREDERICK NALLY, late of 60 Chaworth place, South Circular road, Dublin. Dispatch Clerk, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 3rd day of December, 1944, are hereby required on or before the 10th day of April, 1945, to furnish (in writing), particulars of all such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for The National Bank, Limited, the Executor to whom Probate of the Will of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 28th day of February, 1945.
And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 10th day of April, 1945, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 7th day of March, 1945.
MICHAEL J. BOWERS, Solicitor, 24 Dame street, Dublin.
FOR OTHER LEGAL NOTICES SEE PAGE 6.
FOR TENDERS SEE PAGE 5.

COMPANY NOTICES.

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By Order of the Board.
J. McDONNELL, Secretary and Registrar.
21 Dame street, Dublin.
8th March, 1945.

YOUTHFUL DUBLIN MUSICIANS

Over a thousand pupils from primary schools listened to a concert given in Larkhill Convent National School, Whitehall, yesterday, by junior students of the Municipal School of Music, under the auspices of the City of Dublin Vocational Education Committee.

The young performers, some of whom were only seven years of age, played excerpts from the classics and Irish airs. The orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Michael MacNamara, was praiseworthy, judged from any standard, but, considering the youth of its members, it was excellent.

Before each item Mr. D. Ua Braoin, Inspector of Music to the Department of Education, explained the functions of the various instruments.

A violin solo was given by Jack Ronayne and a piano solo by Annie Kelly.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	7.34	7.31
Sets	7.19	7.21
Lighting-up time	7.49	7.51

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	9.21	10.20
Evening	10. 6	10.57

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1945.

CHURCH AND STATE

When doctors differ the patient, despite the old saw, does not necessarily die; but it is fairly safe to assume that his recovery is likely to be retarded. This assumption is as true of the body politic as it is of the human body, and every good citizen must be perturbed when he finds violent differences of opinion among those who have been entrusted with the care of his interests. More than six years ago the Government appointed a Commission on Vocational Organisation, the chairman of which was the Most Reverend Dr. Browne, Bishop of Galway. It was a representative body, including experts of various kinds, and after five and a-half years it produced a voluminous and comprehensive report, the preparation of which cost no less than £10,306. Experts have been described as persons who know more and more about less and less. It also has been said of them as a class that they avoid all the minor mistakes, while sweeping onwards towards the major fallacy; but there is no doubt that Dr. Browne and his colleagues went to an immensity of pains to turn out a report which, in the very nature of things, was exceedingly long, and, in certain respects, rather difficult to understand. Nevertheless, for all its faults, it was, in our opinion, a sincere document, prepared with meticulous care. Last month in the Senate the Minister for Industry and Commerce subjected it to some rather scathing criticism. He described it as "slovenly," accused its authors of mis-statements of fact as well as of contradictory recommendations, and spoke of the "nagging propagandist tone" of the report, which might be due to unfortunate draughtsmanship or "a desire to bicker." Naturally enough, the Chairman of the Commission has not allowed these criticisms to go by default. In the course of an address in Galway during the week, Dr. Browne made a vigorous reply to Mr. Lemass's strictures, defending the work of the Commission in forceful style. We do not propose to enter into the details of the controversy between the Minister and the Bishop. Dr. Browne denies Mr. Lemass's allegations flatly, admitting that the Commission's report may not be perfect, but reminding the Minister, not without effect, that amendments were being made to the Military Pensions Act because, with all the skilled draughtsmen at their disposal, the Oireachtas and the Government had not been able to say what they meant! Dr. Browne declared that he was not concerned with petty things, but with what he described as "the long-term interests of the Irish people," as well as with the decencies of life and the control of their tongues by public men. In view of these glaring clashes of opinion between the Minister, whose Government was originally responsible for the appointment of the Vocational Organisation Commission, and the Chairman, whom it nominated, the man-in-the-street must begin to wonder whether the whole business was worth the trouble and the money that it cost. The Commission's report contains much interesting information of a miscellaneous kind. Whether its proposals ever will emerge from its covers is open to doubt.

It has been for long a favourite charge against the twenty-six counties—particularly among our kinsfolk in the North—that Eire is moving towards something like a theocratic State. Lurid pictures have been painted of a priest-ridden community, dominated entirely by the Bench of Bishops at Maynooth, and being driven farther and farther away from the democratic principles of the Constitution. Some faint shade of colour may have been given to these allegations by the appointment of certain distinguished ecclesiastics as chairmen of important Commissions; but if it were necessary to refute them, Mr. Lemass's attitude towards the Vocational Organisation Report ought to be enough. Yet it does not stand alone. Last October the National Health Insurance Society released for publication "Outlines of a Scheme of National Health Insurance," a paper which was read to the Committee of Management by the Most Reverend Dr. Dignan, Bishop of Clonfert, who is its chairman. This paper adumbrated His Lordship's proposals for what might be termed an Irish "Beveridge Scheme," going even farther in some respects than the English plan, and based broadly on the famous Papal Encyclicals. The proposals were given wide publicity. They were received favourably in many quarters; but the Minister for Local Government and Public Health was not impressed. When questioned in Dail Eireann by the leader of the Labour Party last January, Mr. MacEntee declared that many of Dr. Dignan's proposals were impracticable, and accordingly no further action on the basis of the paper would be warranted. General Mulcahy asked the Minister to state under what heading he had found the Bishop's proposals impracticable; Mr. MacEntee's reply was short and succinct — "Under almost every heading." We confess that we have much sympathy with the Minister in this case. The Bishop of Clonfert is a prelate of high ability, but his proposals for social security in this country, while admirable in their general purpose, hardly would pass the detached scrutiny of men of affairs. His Lordship admitted that he had not had the assistance of a fully qualified actuary in the preparation of his scheme; and it must be obvious to everybody that a task of such magnitude involves actuarial research of the most complicated kind. The "Dignan Scheme" has been hailed with enthusiasm by those who regard the State as a sort of fairy-godmother, whose primary duty is to maintain everybody at the public expense. The Minister responsible to Dail Eireann, however, must put every plan that is submitted to him to the cold test of reality; and Dr. Dignan's proposals, attractive as they are, have failed to pass that test. It is only to be expected that, in a devoutly Catholic country, anything bearing the *imprimatur* of a Bishop should command exceptional attention; but in the last analysis the Government must be the deciding authority. We are sorry that on two such issues as Vocational Organisation and Social Security, Ministers should find themselves at variance with distinguished prelates who have been appointed chairmen of important public bodies. In the long run, however, such differences of outlook may not be an unhealthy sign. Without occasional disagreements there can be no true progress.

New Pennies

"Take care of the pence, and the pounds will take care of themselves," must be among the world's most dangerous doctrines. How many people acquire an ardent—almost a ferocious—interest in the collection of three-penny-bits, who are incapable of saving shillings, let alone pounds, when the occasion arises? The question is prompted by an account in the *Manchester Guardian* of the strange fate that has befallen new pennies in England. It appears that the British people are inclined to hoard new and bright pennies, with the result that the normal flow of coinage has been impeded. The Royal Mint, in an effort to counteract this tendency, turned out dull and darkened pennies for its 1945 issue; but the people were not deceived. The bright coins of previous years had been attractive by virtue of their appearance; the new products appealed by virtue of their novelty—and were stored away even more cheerfully. It looks as if the Mint is in a quandary. As the newspaper suggests, it might turn out pennies with the inscription, "not to be hoarded," but such coins would have an indisputable value as souvenirs or collection pieces. Let the Mint, and the British Government, console themselves with the realisation that it is merely a matter of pennies. If people began to hoard five-pound notes, or one-pound notes, as readily as they lay aside copper coins and threepenny-bits, there would be greater reason for alarm; the pounds would take care of themselves in a manner that would cause acute distress to the Bank of England. One sympathises with the Mint, which manifestly must have all its calculations upset; yet it must recognise that the human instinct to collect something is strong, and that few things are available nowadays for collection. Stamps are rare; foreign coins are unobtainable. Threepenny-bits and new pennies, on the other hand, can be had anywhere; and they possess the great virtue that they will be legal tender in a moment of emergency.

THE Earl and Countess of Leitrim are returning to Mulroy, Co. Donegal, to-day.

Sir Thomas and Lady Ainsworth, who arrived in Dublin from Scotland this week, have left for the country.

Lady Headley, who has been spending the last week in the Shelbourne Hotel, has left Dublin.

Captain and Mrs. Jameson have arrived in Dublin from Tourin, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Skrine have arrived in Dublin from Co. Wexford, and are staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Dr. B. L. Murphy has left 36 Upr. Fitzwilliam st. for four weeks.

The engagement is announced and wedding will take place in July, between Michael J. Rooney, Inspector, the Irish Assurance Co. Ltd., son of Mrs. Rooney and the late John Rooney, R.I.C., of Claremorris, Co. Mayo, and Mary Maud Mahony, of Claremorris, second daughter of the late District Inspector, Owen Mahony, R.I.C., and Mrs. Mahony, Holywood, Co. Down.

The engagement is announced between Herbert Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McGaughey, Markethill, Co. Armagh, and Gladys Bennett, youngest daughter of Mr. Goodlett Hamill, solicitor, and Mrs. Hamill, Castletown, House, Dundalk.

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place in April, between James Ellwood, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Meredith, Killinure House, Tullow, Co. Carlow, and Joan Alexandra, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caldbeck, The Cottage, Tullow, Co. Carlow.

The engagement is announced between Richard Hamilton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Webb, Wygram, Wexford, and Dorothy Eileen, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher, Raheenduff, Foulksmills, Co. Wexford.

The marriage arranged between William R. Sheppard, son of Mrs. Sheppard and the late E. Sheppard, Rathangan, Kildare, and Geita Gold Mines, Tanganyika, and Emily V. Pearson, Northern Ireland, second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Pearson, formerly of Ballkinstown House, Kildare, will take place at St. Andrew's Church, Suffolk street, Dublin, on Wednesday, March 21st, at 2 p.m.

The marriage arranged between Capt. Michael F. Cooney, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cooney, 13 Clontarf place, Limerick, and Maura, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Slowey, Clonfadda, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, will take place quietly at the Church of the Assumption, Booterstown, on Thursday, April 5th.

The marriage of Capt. Brendan Boylan, Medical Officer, Naas Barracks, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boylan, Marceline, Sandymount road, Dublin, and Eileen, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Meagher, Ratoath, Co. Meath, will take place at Dalkey on the 26th April.

The marriage arranged between James Hession, solicitor, Tuam, elder son of Mrs. Hession, Mall House, Tuam, and the late John Hession, and Sheilah, only child of

(Continued in Next Column.)

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON.
FRIDAY NIGHT.

A NUMBER of enterprises here announce plans for the salvage of merchant and other ships when peace is restored. Some firms are claiming that twelve million tons of shipping and great quantities of valuable cargo will be recovered economically, but an expert in the world of salvage here said to-night that these figures should be treated with reserve. What is certain is that post-war salvage at sea will provide many stories as thrilling as that of the salvage of the gold in the liner Egypt, which was sunk in deep water off Brest. The Italian salvage vessel which made the first attempt blew up, but later attempts were successful, thanks to "Wizard" diving suits which were designed. One of the salvage jobs nearest to the Irish coast after the last war was a liner 8,100 yards off Fanad Head, from which several hundreds of thousands of pounds worth of bullion was recovered.

Great Liners

Among the liners sunk in this war was the Lancastria, Laurentic and Carinthia (Cunard White Star); the Empress of Britain (Canadian Pacific), the 42,000 tons Caledon and Transylvania (Anchor Line), and the Waitara (New Zealand). The most valuable cargo of all was one of £6,000,000 worth of gold, which was on a small vessel which left Toulon in 1940 and was sunk by air attack in the Atlantic.

Woman Politician.

Mrs. Pakenham, wife of the Hon. Frank Pakenham, prospective Labour candidate for the Oxford City constituency, is a politician in her own right, as some few years ago she was adopted prospective Labour candidate for a Birmingham City constituency. She is a cousin of the Chamberlains, and is determined to carry the Socialist banner into the Conservative stronghold. In a speech at Oxford to-day Mrs. Pakenham claimed that the Conservatives had not really learned the lessons of slumps and unemployment. The only party with power between the two wars, they were responsible for the slums and poverty, and for the betrayal of the League of Nations. Since they stood for the capitalist system, for inequality and privilege, how could they afford social security and the same education for all? It was trade union pressure that had got the Beveridge report, and Conservatives wanted to claim credit for it, while waging a secret battle to whittle it down.

CONCERNING MR. SHAW

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—What a pity that Mr. Shaw always starts out to say something rational, and even important, and ends up in talking the most horrible nonsense. In his recent letter quoted in your columns, he writes: "As the necessary work of weeding the garden becomes better understood, the present restriction of liquidation (blessed word!) to murder-cases . . . will cease, and must be replaced by State-contrived euthanasia for all idots and intolerable nuisances." If this is just Shaw's fun (but I suspect him of meaning it), I should say that in the year 1945 we ought to know a little too much about "State-contrived" liquidations, both with and without gas, to be funny about them.

I wonder very much if there is at present any country in Europe—excepting dear, dense, civilised and tolerant old England—where Mr. Shaw himself would not be regarded as an "intolerable nuisance." It is clear (though incredible) that all the ghastly things that have happened in the world during the last 20 years and more have taught G.B.S. absolutely nothing; while he has been talking, various other—possibly less pure-minded—leaders of thought have been busy putting his doctrines into practice. His statement that the theory of deterrence makes it a matter of complete indifference whether the person we hang is guilty or not" may carry weight with lynching-mobs, but it is not particularly logical; and his suggestion that the girl-murderer should be "found dead some morning in a quite comfortable lethal-chamber not known to her to be such" adds a note of gruesome horror to the whole argument. What guarantee have I that in the Shavian Utopia I should not any morning wake up to find myself liquidated, in a gas-chamber *not known by me to be such*?

Incidentally, I am, of course, opposed to executions, whether by means of poison-gas or otherwise, but, if people have to be done to death, it is certainly desirable that they should be tried for a definite offence, and that sentence should be publicly passed on them. I must apologise, Mr. Editor, for these *axiomata*, but when we want comic-strip stuff have we not the inimitable Myles? I prefer his kind of laughing-gas.—Yours, etc.,

ARLAND USSHER.

Dublin, March 8th, 1945.

(Continued from Previous Column)

Mr. and Mrs. O'Conor, National Bank House, Arran quay, Dublin, will take place on 11th April.

The marriage arranged between Gerard O'Gorman, of Ard-na-Cregg, Galway, and Freda Donovan, of 2 Rostrevor road, Dublin, will take place at Terenure Church on 11th April, 1945.

The marriage of Brendan Mathews, 45 Anglesea road, and Ruth Joyce, Lea House, Ballsbridge, will take place at St. Mary's, Haddington road, on Wednesday, 4th April.

The marriage arranged between Alfred Myles Smith, of Kevit Castle, Crossdoney, Co. Cavan, and Joan M. Macaulay, of Ardene, Listowel, Co. Kerry, will take place after Easter.

The marriage arranged between Christopher P. Soye and Madeleine Clarke will take place quietly on Thursday, 5th April.

The North Kildare Harriers Hunt Ball will be held at the Gresham Hotel on Thursday, 26th April. Punchestown week.

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FIELDS are again of good size at Leopardstown to-day and racing should be bright and interesting.

There should be an open "market" on the Dalkey Handicap Hurdle. Astrometer made the journey to Thurles on March 1st without success, but he will be better suited to this galloping circuit than the Tipperary track. If Colehill accepts this engagement instead of the Leopardstown 'Chase, he will have many supporters, but Airy Prince, King of the Jungle and Tayanglet may provide a repeat of their Naas finish of a week ago. Although he won well, the 7lb. penalty he earned may just about beat Airy Prince, and in choosing between King of the Jungle and **Tayanglet**, the latter is slightly preferred. He did not come on the scene until late in the race, and the more favourable conditions underfoot to-day will be to his liking.

Doremi has right good claims for the Leopardstown 'Chase, which will be run over her ideal distance—2 m. 175 yards, and most danger may come from Red Branch. Selections:—

Stillorgan (M.) Hurdle—**Nassirabuh.**
Carrickmines Hurdle—**Ryskid.**
Dalkey H'cap. Hurdle—**Tayanglet.**
Leopardstown 'Chase—**Doremi.**
Dundrum 'Chase—**Mill Boy.**
Ranelagh Plate—**Alice Baythorn.**
Bray H'cap. 'Chase—**Sen Toi.**

Tote Double on Fourth and Sixth Races.

Curragh Correspondent.—2.45, **Nassirabuh;** 3.15, **Port Glorian;** 3.45, **Green Ginger;** 4.15, **Doremi;** 4.45, **Mill Boy;** 5.15, **Arch Knight;** 5.45, **Roman Hackle.**

2.45—STILLORGAN MAIDEN HURDLE of 100 sovs. 2m.
11 Cool Customer (Major R. Stirling-Stuart), Riddell-Martin, 6, 12-0 ....R. Quinlan
000 Patrickswell (J. Smurfit), M. O'Brien, a, 12-0....D. McCann
000 Kit Cosmo (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, a, 12-0....B. O'Neill
000 Apocalypse (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, a, 12-0 J. J. Prendergast
31 Sharp Command (W. Purcell), Owner, 5, 11-10 Jer. Fitzgerald
000 Madariaga (B. Kerr), P. McGrath, 5, 11-10....E. Newman
030 Astronomic (Miss D. Paget), C. Rogers, 5, 11-10 R. J. O'Ryan
01 Nassirabuh (Capt. R. Hunt), Ussher, 4, 11-7....J. Eddery
0 Tor-na-coille (Lord Bicester), Fetherston, a, 11-5..J. Barrett
3 Taskardstown (J. Stafford), Owner, 6, 11-5....(——)
000 Skander (J. Ryan), M. Byrne, 6, 11-5....P. O'Hara
Ardenmore (A. Montgomery), Private, a, 11-5....(——)
0 Royal Mount (R. Morgan), Wellesley, 6, 11-5....(——)
00 Brother James (B. van Cutsem), Walker, a, 11-5..S. T. Magee
000 Mylerstown (Miss B. Kearns), Kearns, 6, 11-5....E. Dempsey
His Eminence (M. Owens), T. O'Sullivan, 6, 11-5..C. O'Reilly
000 Tullycahan (J. Cox), Owner, a, 11-5....Mr. J. R. Cox
000 Lough Corrib (J. Doran), Lenehan, 5, 11-4....M. O'Reilly
000 Blundelstown (B. Trainor), J. Mangan, 5, 11-4..F. Mangan
200 Sweet Haven (S. McGrath), Owner, 5, 11-4....J. Walshe
000 Naupila (Mrs. F. Blacker), H. M. Ryan, 5, 11-4....M. Regan
300 Royal Cheer (A. Waddington), T. Nugent, 5, 11-4..J. J. Power
000 Chikwawa (J. Dickie), Dreaper, 5, 11-4....T. Hyde
230 Distel (Miss D. Paget), Arnott, 4, 11-0....D. L. Moore
0 Lady's Find (T. Allen), Brabazon, 4, 10-11....A. Brabazon
230 Roddy (J. Bower), W. Barry, 4, 10-11....J. McElroy
00 Moon Scholar (T. Gibbons), R. O'Connell, 4, 10-11..G. Wells
000 Knight's Pass (R. McIlhagga), B. Nugent, 4, 10-11 K. Gilsenan
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3.15—CARRICKMINES HURDLE of 100 sovs. 1½m.
000 Syria (R. Collen), Owner, 6, 12-5....W. Gilmour
The Flail (J. McGee), More O'Ferrall, a, 12-5....(——)
00 Passed In (T. Price), Owner, 5, 12-1....Mr. K. Price
000 Rockleigh (J. Farrell), Owner, a, 10-11....(——)
000 Shirley Lad (Capt. C. Harty), Owner, a, 10-9....M. Molony
011 Ryskid (T. Ward), Walker, 5, 10-7....D. Morgan
300 Persian Rose (J. Parkinson), Owner, a, 10-2..Henry Holmes
100 Buffalo Bill (J. Sheridan), Owner, a, 10-0....R. Sheridan
000 Inniscrone (P. McGrath), Owner, a, 10-0....E. Newman
000 Agag (J. Kelly), J. Cleary, a, 9-13....Jer. Fitzgerald
0 On Time (P. Sleator), Owner, a, 9-12....C. Sleator
000 Patrickswell (J. Smurfit), M. O'Brien, a, 9-11....D. McCann
030 Hanoi (H. Kouyoumdjian), Lenehan, 4, 9-0....M. O'Reilly
000 Elderlink (C. Reilly), J. Farrell, 6, 9-8....(——)
003 Port Glorian (R. Coonan), Burke, 5, 9-7....J. Curry
000 Desert Corps (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, a, 9-7..R. J. O'Ryan
000 Green Star (H. Surman), M. Byrne, a, 9-7....P. O'Hara
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3.45—DALKEY HURDLE of 200 sovs. About 2 m.
131 Uplander (J. Cuffe), E. Parkinson, a, 12-5....A. Brabazon
000 Sammy's Rock (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, 6, 11-6 J. J. Prendergast
000 Astrometer (Miss Paget.) C. Rogers, a, 11-3....D. L. Moore
110 Pelorus (S. Henry), P. J. Prendergast, 5, 11-0....G. Wells
000 Colehill (Miss P. O'Leary), Walker, a, 10-8....S. T. Magee
031 Airy Prince (F. More O'Ferrall), Walker, 5, 10-7..D. Morgan
000 Cockasnook (W. Barry), Owner, a, 10-6....J. McElroy
000 Rockleigh (J. Farrell), Owner, a, 10-4 ....T. Cullen (jun.)
020 Green Ginger (G. King), Owner, 5, 10-4....H. Harty (jun.)
032 King of the Jungle (R. McIlhagga), B. Nugent, 5, 10-3 K. Gilsenan
003 Tayanglet (S. McGrath), Owner, 6, 10-0....J. Eddery
100 Ballyfatton (H. Wilton), T. Nugent, 4, 9-12....(——)
000 Slieveardagh (Maj. D. Reynolds), Sleator, a, 9-10....P. Powell
200 Sweet Haven (S. McGrath), Owner, 5, 9-7....B. O'Neill
000 Royal Yacht (C. Buckley), G. E. Price, 6, 9-7....D. Keating
010 Great Patrick (W. Noble), Owner, 6, 9-7....P. Moylan
BETTING FORECAST—3/1 Airy Prince and King of the Jungle, 5/1 Tayanglet and Slieveardagh, 6/1 Pelorus, 8/1 Uplander, 10/1 Green Ginger, 100/8 others.

4.15—LEOPARDSTOWN 'CHASE of 200 sovs. About 2 m. 175 yds.
303 The Gripper (W. Shawe Taylor), Ussher, a, 12-9..J. P. Hogan
000 Swindon Glory (S. Mangan), Owner, a, 11-8....F. Morgan
120 Hamlet (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, a, 11-5....R. J. O'Ryan
012 Summer Star (M. Purcell), Purcell, a, 11-4....D. McCann
120 Doremi (Miss Paget), Arnott, a, 11-3....D. L. Moore
000 Tontonvilla (Mrs. A. Watt), W. O'Grady, a, 11-3 P. J. Murphy
0 Brown Cottage (Miss D. Paget), C. Rogers, a, 10-12.. (——)
000 Colehill (Miss P. O'Leary), Walker, a, 10-8....D. Morgan
020 Red Branch (J. Rank), T. Dreaper, a, 10-6....T. Hyde
000 Tar-a-Walla (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, 6, 9-7....J. Walshe
300 Emerald (P. Kiernan), J. Farrell, a, 9-7....T. Cullen (jun.)
302 Bell Boy II. (W. Noble), C. Harty, a, 9-7....P. Moylan
BETTING FORECAST—5/2 Doremi and Red Branch, 5/1 Summer Star, 6/1 The Gripper and Colehill, 8/1 Tar-a-Walla, 10/1 Emerald, 100/8 others.

4.45—DUNDRUM 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m. and about 175 y.
000 Sir Warden (A. Adams), C. Harty, a, 12-3....M. Molony
0 Bomber Command (T. Baker), T. Dreaper, 6, 12-3..P. Grogan
030 Gangplank (Ld. Bicester), Osborne), a, 12-3....A. Brabazon
00 Royal Win (Miss B. Daly), Prendergast, a, 12-3 M. C. Prendergast
0 Ballynalty Bay (Lt.-Col. Sir C. Grattan-Bellew), Ruttle, 6, 12-3 ....H. Harty (jun.)
0 Black Venus (P. Daly), Ussher, 6, 12-3....J. P. Hogan
300 Ellistrin (Mrs. Brabazon), Brabazon, 6, 12-3....E. Newman
000 Peter's Gift (J. McGrath), Arnott, a, 12-3....M. Gordon
000 Parsonshill (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, 6, 12-3....B. O'Neill
300 Dunshaughlin (Miss D. Paget), C. Rogers, a, 12-3 R. J. O'Ryan
000 Bachelor Royal (Miss D. Paget), Walker, a, 12-3..D. Morgan
010 Arch Knight (A. Moore), R. O'Connell, a, 12-3.... (——)
0 Sun-loe (F. Mulley), Owner, a, 12-3....J. McKeag
020 Kellsboro' Quid (F. Rogers), Owner, a, 12-3.... (——)
000 Skander (J. Ryan), M. Byrne, 6, 12-3 ....P. O'Hara
000 Tar-a-Walla (J. McGrath), S. McGrath, 6, 12-3....J. Walshe
000 Dismas (Mrs. S. Hill-Dillon), McCann, a, 12-3.... (——)
212 Mill Boy (Miss D. Paget), C. Rogers, a, 12-3..D. L. Moore
000 Little Wager (R. McIlhagga), Dreaper, 6, 12-3....T. Hyde
000 Sandor (R. McIlhagga), B. Nugent, 6, 12-3....K. Gilsenan
Flying Corn (R. McIlhagga), B. Nugent, 6, 12-3....T. Ellis
000 Skouras (R. Collen), Owner, 5, 11-10....W. Gilmour
013 Klaxton (Mrs. K. Coonan), Burke, 5, 11-10....J. Curry
000 Another Victor (I. Ismay), D. Rogers, 5, 11-10....M. Browne
002 Annulet (G. King), Owner, 5, 11-10....B. Cooper
000 Royal Cottage (J. Woods), R. O'Connell, 5, 11-10.. (——)
000 Fair Maccabbi (J. Steen), T. Nugent, 5, 11-10....J. J. Power
BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Mill Boy, 4/1 Ellistrin, 6/1 Annulet and Tar-a-Walla, 8/1 Royal Cottage and Gangplank, 10/1 Klaxton, 100/8 others.

5.15—RANELAGH PLATE of 100 sovs. 2 m.
000 Cockasnook (W. Barry), Owner, a, 12-0.... (——)
000 Flint Rock (M. Byrne), Owner, 6, 12-0....Mr. J. Doyle
00 Dandy Prince (H. Clarence), T. O'Sullivan, 6, 12-0.. (——)
000 Brick Bat (Mrs. M. Daly), H. Hartigan, 6, 12-0 Mr. P. Sleator
300 Emerald (P. Kiernan), J. Farrell, a, 12-0....Mr. R. Hoey
002 Subtle Serpent (Mrs. I. Latham), Latham, 5, 12-0 Mr. T. Nugent
000 Tar-a-Walla (J. McGrath jun.), S. McGrath, 6, 12-0..Owner
010 Arch Knight (A. Moore), R. O'Connell, a, 12-0.... (——)
000 Hillfort (J. Nicholls), Wilson, 5, 12-0....Mr. M. Gleeson
00 Ursula's Pride (H. O'Leary), Walker, a, 12-0 Mr. M. N. Walker
002 Alice Baythorn (J. Osborne), Owner, 6, 12-0....Mr. J. R. Cox
000 Major Star (Miss D. Paget), Arnott, a, 12-0..Mr. P. Lenehan
Halcyon Hours (F. Rogers), Arnott, 5, 12-0..Mr. P. Connolly
020 Kellsboro' Quid (F. Rogers), Owner, a, 12-0 Mr. G. Malcomson
03 Hurry Back (Miss E. Ross), Ross 5, 12-0..Mr. T. O'Connell
221 Keep Faith (J. Rank), Dreaper, a, 12-0....Mr. N. McClaney
000 Valpride (C. Buckley), G. Price, 4, 11-8....Mr. W. Taaffe
BETTING FORECAST—1/3 Alice Baythorn, 6/1 Subtle Serpent and Keep Faith, 8/1 Emerald, 10/1 Brick Bat, 100/8 others.

5.40—BRAY 'CHASE of 200 sovs. About 3 m. 100 yds.
122 Western Dandy (F. Higgins), Browne, a, 11-7 Mr. R. W. Browne
023 Knight's Crest (F. O'Sullivan), C. Harty, a, 11-5..M. Molony
001 Sen Toi (Mrs. W. Molony), Roche, a, 10-8....T. Molony
0 Brown Cottage (Miss Paget), C. Rogers), a, 10-8 R. J. O'Ryan
210 Roman Hackle (Miss Paget), C. Rogers), a, 10-7..D. L. Moore
020 Drumbilla (J. Cox), Owner, a, 9-12....Jer. Fitzgerald
003 Mayerling (J. Rank), T. Dreaper, a, 9-10....E. Newman
003 Grecian Victory (G. Cheney), Ussher, a, 9-9....J. P. Hogan
200 Crickstown (G. Gillespie), Owner, a, 9-7....P. Timmins
BETTING FORECAST—4/5 Sen Toi, 7/2 Roman Hackle, 6/1 Knight's Crest, 8/1 Western Dandy, 10/1 others.

Form for above races will be found in to-day's "Irish Field."

Fulform (March) will be on Sale Friday next. Order now.—(Advt.)

M'Cormack An Easy Winner

SPIKE McCORMACK atoned for his recent defeat at the hands of Pat O'Connor by outpointing Freddie Price, of Galway, at the Rotunda Cinema last night. Price has an impressive string of victories to his credit over the leading Irish middle-weights, but he was never in the hunt with McCormack, who looked very fit and gave a storming, aggressive display from start to finish.

It was a scrambling, unscientific affair, for realising that his opponent had little ability at long range, McCormack was looking for a knock-out all the way, and his punching was somewhat wild.

He did land a number of heavy ones, but he might as well have been hitting a brick wall for all the effect he had on Price, who never looked particularly shaken despite the fact that he spent most of the time with his back on the ropes. With no sting in his left hand, Price's one punch was a right upper-cut, and he scored frequently with this at close range; indeed, he often had the better of the in-fighting, but he took all that was coming at long range.

After McCormack had piled up an early lead, Price improved considerably mid-way through the fight, and it looked for a short time as if he might wear down his opponent as O'Connor had done, but McCormack came back very strongly and scored with a lot of heavy punches in the last two rounds.

ARMOUR RETIRES

Jimmy Ingle was boxing convincingly and leading well on points in his fight against Tommy Armour when the latter had to retire after the fifth round with an injured hand.

Ingle got home again and again with heavy rights to head and body, though he did not gain the full effect of the weight of the punches on account of the fact that so many of them were delivered with other than the knuckle part of the glove. His left lead paved the way for the right in good fashion, particularly in the earlier rounds. Armour's right, however, was weak on the lead, but his left hook landed successfully and with good effect from time to time. Ingle was in dictation of the fight for most of the time, however, and his heavy-handed attacks brought him to the fore in each round.

It was a good fight, and it was a pity that it should finish as it did.

Tommy Dunne and Con Caffrey put up a lively fight in the feather-weight eliminator. Dunne winning on points. Dunne's weighty right took some toll in the early rounds, though it would have been much more effective if it had been better timed. Caffrey's pluck was in great evidence throughout, however, and he waded in all the time, getting home many full-blooded lefts and rights.

In what must be counted as one of the poorest professional bouts seen in Dublin for years, Danny O'Brien beat Jack Lenihan on points.

Feather—Tommy Dunne (Dublin) beat Con Caffrey (Dublin) on points.
Middle—Danny O'Brien (Dublin) beat Jack Lenihan (Cork) on points; Jimmy Ingle (Dublin) beat Tommy Armour (Belfast)—retired injured after fifth round.
Fly—Joe Collins (Dublin) beat Johnny Caroos (Austria)—retired after second round.
Middle—Spike McCormack (Dublin) beat Freddie Price (Galway) on points.

Gaffney Was A Good Winner

KNOCKS-OUT were at a premium at Sandymount Club's tournament at the Stadium last night, when a team from the promoting club fought a Munster selection.

J. Keenan, Munster champion—a last-minute selection—provided tough opposition for the virile J. Gaffney. The former carried a strong right, but he showed little initiative in following up any advantage gained, and Gaffney's quickness to the punch and relentless straight left gave him a well-merited points' win.

M. Talbot (Tramway) lost by a narrow margin in the welter contest to T. Hyde (Cork), runner-up in the National Senior Championships, the latter gaining valuable points with his right; while E. Andrews (St. Andrew's), the "broadcasting boxer," was always on top in his middle-weight contest with Tpr. McGrath (Limerick).

Juvenile Contests—1st — C. McGregor (Sandymount) beat F. McGoldrick (Whitehall); V. Hayes (Whitehall) beat J. Hanlon (Sandymount); L. Byrne (Sandymount) beat D. Galston (Whitehall).

SENIOR CONTESTS
Bantam—E. Cannon (North City) beat M. Kelleher (Cork); F. Scanlon (Corinthians) beat S. Murphy (Cork).
Feather—J. Gaffney (Sandymount) beat J. Keenan (Cork).
Light—P. Foran (St. Andrew's) beat P. Kenneally (Cork).
Welter—T. Hyde (Cork) beat M. Talbot (Tramway).
Middle—E. Andrews (St. Andrew's) beat Trooper McGrath (Limerick).
Heavy—P. Troy (Garda) beat J. Tierney (Phœnix).

A DUBLIN SELECTION

The following team has been chosen to represent a Dublin Selection to meet the Combined Universities at Trinity College Gymnasium on March 12th:—

Bantam—C. Fagan (Myra). Feather—E. Walsh (North City), A. Johnson (St. Canice). Light—T. Heery (Corinthians). Welter—D. Kiely (South City). Middle—Pte. Vickers (Portobello). Cruiser — J. Kennedy (St. Canice). Heavy—Garda P. Troy (Garda).

Entries for Co. Dublin Juvenile Championships close on Tuesday next.

POINTS TO NOTE

Reports from various parts of the country affirm that farmers almost everywhere are busier than ever before in preparing the ground for, and sowing SPRING WHEAT.

In times of hurry small things are apt to be overlooked, but it is well worth while to keep the following points in mind,

- **The rate of seeding for Spring Wheat should be about 15-18 stones per statute acre or 24-29 stones per Irish acre.**
- **If at all possible seeds should be tested before being sown.**
- **If the germination is less than about 90% the rate of seeding should be proportionately increased.**
- **All seeds should be dressed with a mercurial seed dressing before being sown.**

NOW IS THE TIME TO SOW SPRING WHEAT

LISTEN TO RADIO EIREANN AGRICULTURAL TALK SATURDAY AT 8.20 p.m.

Issued by the Department of Agriculture.

"HAT-TRICK" FOR PETER PIPER AT CATTERICK BRIDGE

By BIRDCATCHER.

THE North will have a monopoly of racing to-day with the seven-race card at Catterick Bridge. Recent form should provide useful pointers. I expect Peter Piper to gain his third successive victory in the Thornbrough 'Chase, while the consistent Uncle Archie should repay support in the Whitwell Hurdle. The luckless Unofficial may at last get his head in front in the Ellerton 'Chase; while Vasey may complete a double with Prince Merlin in the Kiplin Hurdle.

SELECTIONS.

	BIRDCATCHER.	LONDON CORR.
12.30	Hey Presto.	School for Botany.
1.0	Peter Piper.	Peter Piper.
1.30	Uncle Archie.	Bastille.
2.0	Vain Knight.	Vain Knight.
2.30	Try-Out (nap).	Conflict.
3.0	Unofficial.	Beaumatch.
3.30	Prince Merlin.	Prince Merlin (nap).

Double (Birdcatcher)—Try-Out and Prince Merlin.
Double (London Corr.)—Prince Merlin and Bastille.

12.30 — STREETLAM NOVICES' HURDLE (Div. I). 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
3 High Command (Robson), 6 Capt. J. E. Smith
3 Bridlington (Reader), 8 ....Hawcroft
0 Broquart (Private), 8 ....Mr. E. Johnson
4 Hey Presto (V. Moore), 7 ....Parvin
Papana (Ray), 6 ....F. Morgan
Comique (Vasey), 6 ....Halford
4 School for Botany (Newton), 6 ....
0 Smart Set (Private), 9 ....Hinchcliffe
(Above carry 11-8.)
Little David (Renton), 5, 11-4 ....
0 Border Lad (Kitching), 5, 11-4 ..Cooke
0 Cairain (T. Hall), 4, 10-8 ....Rimell
0 Seribal Flood (Kettlewell), 4, 10-8..Lynn
Betting Forecast—6/4 School for Botany, 5/2 Hey Presto, 4/1 Bridlington, 8/1 High Command, 10/1 others.

1.0 — THORNBROUGH OPTIONAL SELLING 'CHASE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
0 Hasty Son (Hammett), 6 ....F. Taylor
0 Unofficial (Ransom), 8..Mr. W. Ransom
or
2 Beaumatch (Ransom), 13 Mr. W. Ransom
1 Peter Piper (Vasey), 13 ....Halford
(Above carry 12-0.)
3 Caravan Girl (Cooper), 10 ....Jack
0 Bollinger (Newton), 10 ....
(Above carry 10-0.)
Betting Forecast—1/3 Peter Piper, 8/1 Unofficial (or Beaumatch) and Caravan Girl, 100/8 others.

1.30—WHITWELL H'CAP H'DLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
2 Sylphide (Cooper), 9, 12-7 ....Jack
0 Goyanna (Kitching), 5, 12-3 ..Foxton
2 Fair Wind (Renton), 8, 11-13 Nicholson
3 Uncle Archie (H. Peacock), 10, 11-12 Burford
0 Rosencrass (Garbett), 10, 11-12 Garbett
0 Prince Tarpon (Booth), 4, 11-7 .. Booth
2 Bastille (Newton), 7, 11-6 ....
0 Say Nowt (Hawtin), 11, 11-6 .. Burry
2 Clos du Roi (T. Hall), 10, 11-4 Rimell
0 The Chisk (Weatherill), 6, 11-3 ..
1 Seringhi (Vasey), 7, 11-0 .. Halford
0 Joy Boy (Magner), 6, 11-0 .. Magner
0 Caviar (Renton), 7, 10-12 ....
2 Count Yutoi (Vasey), 8, 10-4 F. Taylor
0 Dancing Dervish (Perry), 8, 10-2 Jenkins
0 Moose (E. Johnson), 9, 10-0 .... Wren
Betting Forecast—3/1 Uncle Archie, 4/1 Bastille, 5/1 Sylphide and Seringhi, 8/1 Count Yutoi, 10/1 Clos du Roi and Fair Wind, 100/8 others.

2.0—DANBY STEEPLECHASE. 3 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
1 Vain Knight (Murless), 12, 12-7 Nicholson
3 Royal Revel (Renton), 9, 12-0 ....
2 Kilton (Magner), 7, 11-9 Mr. W. Darling
0 Flying Phantom (Private), 12, 11-9 Maxwell
2 Beaumatch (Ransom), 13, 11-9 Mr. W. Ransom
0 Bollinger (Newton), 10, 11-9 ....
0 Pincase (Stephenson), 6, 11-9 .. Booth
4 Silver Candle (Private), 8, 11-9 Mr. W. Stephenson
Betting Forecast—4/7 Vain Knight, 9/2 Royal Revel, 8/1 Flying Phantom and Beaumatch, 10/1 others.

2.30—STREETLAM NOVICES' H'DLE. (Div. II). 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
4 Meantime (H. Marshall), 7 ....Heaney
0 The Chisk (Weatherill), 6 ....
Swing (Cockton), 6 ....
0 Charlie Gardiner (Private), 8 ....
0 Galerius (Renton), 8 ....
Ros Barn (Stephenson), 6 ....Booth
0 Twice Royal (Magner), 6 ....Magner
(Above carry 11-8.)
3 Try-out (Hawtin), 5 ....Burry
Culverhill (Private), 5 ....F. Taylor
0 Spectrum (Private), 5 ....Maxwell
2 Conflict (Cooper), 5 ....D. Doyle
0 Butt Off (Kettlewell), 5 ....
Coleannas (Mather), 5 ....
(Above carry 11-4.)
2 Culworth (T. Hall), 4 ....Rimell
0 Post and Rails (Perry), 4 ....Jenkins
0 Coming Up (Newton), 4 ....Hawcroft
0 Cockey (Megginson), 4 Mr. W. Stonehouse
(Above carry 10-8.)
Betting Forecast—6/4 Conflict, 3/1 Try-out, 5/1 Culverhill, 8/1 Meantime and Culworth, 10/1 others.

3.0—ELLERTON NOVICES' 'CHASE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
0 Byepass (H. Marshall), 7 ....Heaney
2 Kilton (Magner), 7 ..Mr. W. Darling
0 Meridian (F. Taylor), 13 ....Maxwell
0 Green Mansions (Newton), 6 ....
0 Brettony (Megginson), 9 ..Mr. J. Turner
0 Flying Phantom (Private), 12 ....
0 Corfe Castle (Kettlewell), 7 ....Jack
2 Beaumatch (Ransom), 13 Mr. W. Ransom
or
0 Unofficial (Ransom), 8..Mr. W. Ransom
0 Caviar (Renton), 7 ....
4 Lord Buchan (Private), 10 ....
4 Silver Candle (Private), 8 Mr. W. Stephenson
Lonicera (Stephenson), 6 ....Booth
(Above carry 12-0.)
or
0 Rusky (Booth), 4, 10-7 ....Booth
0 Goyanna (Kitching), 5, 11-6
Betting Forecast—2/1 Beaumatch (or Unofficial), 3/1 Flying Phantom, 4/1 Goyanna, 6/1 Brettony and Kilton, 10/1 others.

3.30—KIPLIN MODERATE HURDLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
0 Trimaroma (T. Hall), 8, 11-12....Rimell
0 Walton (Booth), 12, 11-5....Booth
0 Flowing Tide (Private), 11, 11-5..Burford
0 Say Nowt (Hawtin), 11, 11-5....Burry
3 High Command (Robson), 6, 11-0 Captain J. E. Smith
3 Bridlington (Reader), 8, 11-0..Hawcroft
0 Costello (F. Taylor), 7, 11-0 R. Cartwright
2 Fair Wind (Renton), 8, 11-0..Nicholson
2 Prince Merlin (Vasey), 6, 11-0..Halford
0 Brandy Tot (Garbett), 8, 11-0....Carr
0 Fair Valley (Magner), 6, 11-0....Magner
0 Suzy Cottonsox (V. Moore), 4, 10-12 Maxwell
0 Star Song (Cooper), 5, 10-10....Cooper
3 Goldpore (Renton), 5, 10-10.... ——
Culverhill (Private), 5, 10-10.... ——
Eastgate (Watt), 5, 10-10.... ——
3 Parting Gift (H. Marshall), 4, 10-0 Heaney
0 Post and Rails (Perry), 4, 10-0.. ——
0 Tinawych (Kettlewell), 4, 10-0.. ——
Betting Forecast—2/1 Prince Merlin, 4/1 Star Song, 6/1 Fair Wind, 8/1 Trimaroma, Bridlington and Suzy Cottonsox, 10/1 High Command, 100/8 others.

WARDS HAVE A DAY

The Ward Hounds had their best hunt this season—and, indeed, for some years—from their meet at Drumree. An outlier found in Dunsany took some time to leave the demesne, but once hounds got him away they settled down to run, and headed right into the Kildare country.

They bore leftwards, first towards Kilcock; then swung to the right again for Newtown. The Land Commission banks in Ovidstown further depleted a field, already thinned by the cracking pace, and with horses and hounds dead beat the few survivors stopped between Donadea and Baltreacy cross-roads, leaving the stag at large.

Hunting hard for four hours, hounds covered an immense distance, making a point of close on 14 miles.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

To-day—Strabane, Ballylennon Meeting House, 1.0; Waterford, Smoor, 12.0; Co. Limerick, Creeves X, 12.0; Kildare, Sherlockstown X, 11.30; Duhallow, Lockmills, 11.30; Ward Union, Ratoath (change of Meet), 1.30; Newry, McGaffin's Corner, 12.30; Kilkenny, Windgap, 11.30; Co. Down, Saintfield House (Lieut.-Col. Percival Price, M.C.), 12.0; Naas, Ballyshannon X, 1.0; Bray, Rathnew, 2.0; South Co. Dublin, Tallaght, 2.30; United Hunt, Young Grove, 12.0; North Armagh, Hall's Mill Turn, 1.0; Roots, Knockabollet, 1.0.

Change of Meets—East Galway Hounds meet at Eyrecourt on Tuesday, March 20th, instead of on Friday, March 16th. Carlow Hounds meet at Tullow, instead of Grange Park, to-day. Scarteen meet at Holycross on Monday next, instead of at Kilballyowen. Kilkenny Hounds meet at Kilkenny railway station on Monday next, instead of at Dunbell.

Tara Harriers' meet, fixed for Monday, has been cancelled.

FINGAL HARRIERS' HUNT POINT-TO-POINT RACES,
AT
MOORETOWN, SWORDS,
ON
MONDAY NEXT, 12th MARCH.
1st RACE, 2.30 P.M.
—(Advt.)

HAROLD'S CROSS DOG WINNERS

525—Fond Invader (6), 6/4, 1; Dashing Ruby (1), 4/1, 2; Shannon Light (4), 3/1, 3; Afternoon (5), 6/1, 4; Spa Tanist (3), 3/1, 5; Simple Sam (2), 5/1, 6. 3l.; same. 29.95.

525—Island Road (3), 2/1, 1; Tyone Bella (6), evens 2; Borranstown Ruby (4), 10/1, 3; White Blade (5), 6/1, 4; Maiden's Hall (1), 7/1, 5; Summer Frock (2), 10/1, 6. 2l.; 4l. 30.72.

525—Mrs. Mops (3), 10/1, 1; Manhattan Midday (2), 6/4, 2; Proud Winner (6), 5/2, 3; Blue Rebecca (4), 4/1, 4; Prince of Tara (1), 10/1, 5; My Rosette (5), 6/1, 6. 4l.; 1l. 30.74.

525—Cottage Sam (1), 4/5, 1; Dashing Kildare (6), 8/1, 2; Black Mountain (4), 4/1, 3; Wee Beauty (2), 4/1, 4; Afton Best (5), 6/1, 5; Meddlesome Inler (3), 4/1, 6. 2l.; 4l. 30.56.

525—Tangled Fate (3), 5/2, 1; Smartly Fergus (4), 9/2, 2; Pearse Street Harry (2), 10/1, 3; Dodgem Rowley (1), 10/1, 4; Cook's Hill Border (5), 7/4, 5; Well Salted (6), 3/1, 6. 2l.; same. 30.48.

350—Songtime (5), evens, 1; Elusive Kitty (6), 8/1, 2; Majedih (3), 2/1, 3; Dash Out (2), 4/1, 4; Clonageera Boy (1), 8/1, 5. 1½l.; 1l. 20.28.

525—Poor Fellow (1), 5/2, 1; Blue Sailor (3), 4/1, 2; Manhattan Duck (4), 6/1, 3; Alive O. (6), 4/6, 4; Evening Sky (5), 5/1, 5; Edenderry Inler (2), 6/1, 6. 1½l.; 3l. 30.76.

SHELBOURNE PARK—7.45

525—Rosnacar Beauty, Anna's Darkie, Manhattan Carols, Mr. Lenin, Firecawn, Pretty Fancied, Bidfish, Son of Meath.

525—Cregore Darkey, Derry Dimple, Smartly Peter, Hidden Ranger, Phœnix Feather, Oliver Dixon, Jennie's Hero, Tironian.

360—Talon's Flash, What a Smacker, Brilliant Brigade, Post War Tourist, Thomastown Yank, Farrihy King, Pride of Shilelagh.

525—Bright Oak, Munster Hotel, Sunny Devon, Midnight Tornado, Myke's Dilemma, Lixnaw Exchange, Silent Rattler, Gifted Killer.

525—Deva's Pride, Leningradskaya, Highland Mike, Negro's Lad, Safe Investment, Dancer's Share, Cottage Sam, Black Kilrea.

525—Wee Pouffe, Call Magpie, Irish Homestead, Amor Vincit, Maggie's Heartbreak, Bonnie Beret, Lucky Shadow, Merry Mermaid.

525—Lemon Biddy, Rose Queen, Elm Green, Dolly's Witch, Rosie Tark, Talon's Girlie, Lady Ware, Gortmore Ranger.

SPORTS DIARY FOR WEEK-END

Racing—Leopardstown, 2.45; Catterick Bridge, 12.30.

Rugby—Leinster Senior Cup, 1st round, at Lansdowne road—Blackrock College v. Wanderers, 2.45; Dublin University v. Palmerston, 4.15; N.F.S. (Belfast) v. Monkstown, Belfast.

Hockey—Irish Senior Cup, semi-finals—Portlaoiaise v. Lisnagarvey, Londonbridge road, 2.30; Limerick P.Y.M.A. v. Dublin University, Limerick, 3.45. Senior League—Pembroke Wanderers v. Y.M.C.A., Serpentine avenue, 3.0; Dalkey v. Corinthians, Stradbrook, 3.0; Three Rock Rovers v. Portrane, 4.15.

Soccer—F.A.I. Cup, 1st round (2nd series)—To-day—Brideville v. Dundalk, Tolka Park, 3.30. To-morrow—Bohemians v. Shelbourne, Dalymount Park, 3.30; Limerick v. Shamrock Rovers, Limerick, 3.30; Cork United v. Drumcondra, Cork, 4.0.

G.A.A.—To-morrow—Faughs v. Eoghan Ruadh (H.), Croke Park, 3.15; Young Irelands v. U.C.D. (H.), Belfield, 11.30; Erin's Own v. Eastern Command (H.), Army grounds, 12.0; Civil Service v. O'Toole's (F.), Islandbridge, 12.0; Westerns v. Air Corps (F.), Crumlin, 11.30; St. Joseph's v. Mackens (F.), Parnell Park, 11.45; Clare v. Limerick (H.L.), Ennis, 3.0; Galway v. Tipperary (H.L.), Portumna, 3.0; Clare v. Tipperary II (H.L.), Tipperary, 3.30. Colleges' Hurling Final—Munster v. Leinster, Kilkenny, 3.30.

Women's Hockey—Railway Union v. Loreto Past, Park avenue, 2.15; Trinity v. Newcomes, Dartry road, 2.15; Wicklow Past v. Muckross II, Green Lanes, 2.15; Pembroke Wanderers v. Muckross, Serpentine avenue, 3.15; U.C.D. v. Loreto Past II, Belfield, 3.15; Maids v. Sion Hill, Templeogue, 3.15. Friendly—Knock (Belfast) v. Muckross "A," Rathmines, 2.0.

Greyhound Racing—Shelbourne Pk., 7.45.

Snooker—Irish Open Championship, at O'Connell Hall—To-night—E. Jordan v. D. Silcock, 7.0; P. Merrigan v. S. Jordan, 8.45. To-morrow—M. Courtney v. J. Green, 7.0; S. Fenning v. T. Taylor, 8.45.

Weights for Irish Grand National

FOLLOWING are the weights for the Irish Grand National (3½ m.) of £1,000, to be run at Fairyhouse on Easter Monday, April 2nd:—

Prince Regent (J. V. Rank)	T. W. Dreaper	10	12	7
St. Martin (Miss M. O. Mathieson)	Brabazon	12	10	9
Happy Home (Miss D. Paget)	Arnott	6	10	0
Callaly (E. H. Johnson)	W. O'Grady	12	10	0
Western Dandy (F. W. Higgins)	Browne	7	9	11
Knight's Crest (M. F. O'Sullivan)	C. Harty	8	9	9
Alice Baythorn (J. W. Osborne)	Owner	6	9	8
Mayerling (J. V. Rank)	T. W. Dreaper	10	9	7
Historical Revue (T. Allen)	Brabazon	7	9	7
Tar-a-Walla (Jos. McGrath, jun.)	S. McGrath	6	9	7
Grecian Victory (G. Cheney)	Ussher	8	9	7
Sunbura II (Miss D. Paget)	C. Rogers	10	9	7
Lovely Cottage (Mrs. L. Hyde)	M. J. Hyde	8	9	7
Roman Hackle (Miss D. Paget)	C. Rogers	12	9	7
The Clip (John M. O'Brien)	Owner	8	9	7
Heirdom (P. Quinn)	Kirwan	13	9	7
Slieve Dub (W. J. Kelly)	Owner	9	9	7
Crickstown (Dr. G. F. Gillespie)	Owner	11	9	7
Steel Flame (Miss D. Paget)	C. Rogers	8	9	7
Brown Cottage (Miss D. Paget)	C. Rogers	11	9	7
Summer Star (M. C. H. Purcell)	W. J. Purcell	8	9	7
Capital Star (Miss D. Paget)	C. Rogers	10	9	7
Lavenham (Clifford Nicholson)	Walker	9	9	7
African Collection (Miss E. Shortiss)	Brabazon	6	9	7
Erinox (J. C. Landy)	C. Harty	9	9	7
Lough Conn (Mrs. M. Rowe)	Boland	9	9	7
National Lad (C. J. Massy)	Osborne	10	9	7
Sen Toi (Mrs. W. Molony)	T. Roche	10	9	7
Shaun Ogue (P. J. Murphy)	Osborne	7	9	7
Cavalry King (Miss D. Paget)	——	a	(dr)	

DIVISION OF RACES

The Stewards of the I.N.H.S. Committee give notice that, should there be 50 entries or more received for any hurdle race, the entries may be divided to form two races. Where the race is a handicap, the highest weight in each case to be as provided by the rules. The prize money will not be divided, but that and the entrance money or sweepstakes will remain the same for each race as originally advertised.

Divided races under both rules have been in operation for some time in England.

WEEK-END GOLF FIXTURES

TO-DAY—**Bray** — Hon. Secretary's prize. **Castle**—Vice-president's prize. **Dun Laoghaire**—St. Patrick's Cup, qual., time sheet. **Grange**—Medal. **Greystones**—Medal, Stableford. **Kilrooney**—Medal, strokes. **Lucan**—Bogey, 18 holes. **Milltown** — Fourball, 18 holes. **Newlands** (Ladies)—Annual meeting, clubhouse 4 o'c. **Portmarnock** — Medal, bogey; two classes. **Royal Dublin** — Ashbourne Cup. **Rathfarnham** — Foursomes, strokes. **Sutton**—Fourball, bogey. **Woodbrook**—Floyd Cup, qual.

TO-MORROW—**Malahide**—Vice-president's prizes, fourball. **Howth**—Mitchell Shield, foursomes. **Hermitage**—Club foursomes, 16 pairs, qualify.

"FRIENDLY" AT DELGANY

The following teams will represent "Delgany Mountaineers" and "U.C.D. Unknowns" at Delgany on Sunday:—

"**Delgany Mountaineers**"—C. Beattie, B. Conroy, D. H. Charles, H. O. Coyle, J. Coyle, B. R. Kenny, S. Mullens, J. H. Murdock, P. Nolan, F. Sheridan, P. Tighe, L. C. Williams.

"**U.C.D. Unknowns**"—D. J. O'Connor, T. P. Maguire, E. M. Dalton, J. C. Thompson, M. B. Quane, W. J. Treanor, T. P. Hogan, Dr. O. J. Murphy, Dr. J. K. Feeney, Dr. J. Dunne, Dr. J. C. Meagher, Another. Teams to travel from College street by bus at 11 a.m.

SHORTHAND TYPISTS.—Next Exam., Sept., '45. Oral and Postal Classes. — SKERRY'S COLLEGE, Dublin. —(Advt.)

TO REPRESENT THEIR SCHOOLS

Following are the teams for the Schools' Rugby Interprovincial Trials at Donnybrook on Friday next (4.0):—

Whites—F. McMullen (Mountjoy); A. Darragh (C.U.S.), L. Crowe (Belvedere), J. Lowry (Clongowes), R. Wallace (St. Andrew's); J. O'Neill (Castleknock), T. Cullen (Clongowes); T. Donohue (Terenure), A. Larkin (King's Hospital), H. Payne (Wesley), R. Swann (St. Mary's), J. Madden (Pres., Bray), J. Wildgust (Mountjoy), E. Connellan (Castleknock), A. Dyas (St. Andrew's).

Colours—P. Church (Terenure); T. Delahunt (Castleknock), P. Courtney (Clongowes), N. Flanagan (Castleknock), M. Byrne (Belvedere); T. Murray (St. Mary's), E. Hamilton (St. Andrew's); T. McGivern (Clongowes), D. Dunne (Castleknock), J. Cassidy (Belvedere), E. O'Connell (King's Hospital), T. McLoughlin (Clongowes), P. Hopkins (Castleknock), R. Hill (St. Andrew's), T. Healy (Clongowes).

Subs. (to attend)—T. O'Toole (Clongowes), R. Rothwell (Mountjoy), D. Doyle (Terenure), E. Wann (St. Andrew's), J. Molloy (Pres., Bray), J. Hoey (C.U.S.), C. Lett (Mountjoy).

Any boy unable to play should advise by next post hon. sec. (Schools' Section), 12 Westmoreland st.

RUGBY CUP TEAMS

Blackrock College—B. Coakley; C. Maguire, G. Creedon, B. Mooney, T. Chamberlain; L. O'Brien, B. Nolan; J. Hughes, J. Meagher, H. Morris, J. Martin, W. Fitzpatrick, J. Carey, D. O'Loughlin, J. Macken.

Wanderers—J. A. Mattsson; P. Butler, A. B. Robertson, D. Larmour, F. Cruise; W. G. Booker, D. M. Doherty; R. H. Satchwell, C. R. Graves, W. Deane, W. G. McManaway, L. Griffin, B. Harvey, E. J. Murray, J. Teggin.

Palmerston—R. I. Gill; A. K. Ellis, W. J. Potts, D. Acton, H. Lowry; F. Kenny, C. Verso; H. R. Roberts, D. Merrey, G. Allen, L. Allen, R. Fitzgerald, W. H. McCleland, G. Mulroney, E. G. Flynn.

Dublin University—S. W. McVicker; A. Wilson, R. Lumley, J. W. McCaw, J. H. Wilson; G. A. Mitchell, R. J. Lindsay; F. H. Moore, L. V. Henry, B. N. Walsh, J. Bradfield, N. R. Hamilton, R. E. Coolican, R. C. Scott, R. G. Harrison.

SCHOOLS' HOCKEY DATES

Following are the revised dates for the Schools' Interprovincial Hockey Championship: March 13th, Leinster v. Munster, 4 p.m.; March 14th, Munster v. Ulster, 3.30 p.m.; March 15th, Leinster v. Ulster, 2.15 p.m.; March 16th, South-East v. Leinster.

All matches will be played in Dublin, with exception of the South-East v. Leinster, which will be played in Waterford.

Knock (Belfast) 2 (Miss Hopkins and Mrs. Hennessey), Dublin University 0.

Mr. Fred Clarke, Secretary to Leopardstown Club, has been granted an Auxiliary Licence as Clerk of the Course by the Stewards of the Turf Club and of the I.N.H.S.

Dab (3) has been sold to Mr. M. A. Byrne.

Agreements With Jockeys.—Mr. C. Lawless, with M. Molloy (Rules of Racing and I.N.H.S. Rules), and Mr. J. V. Rank, with T. Hyde (I.N.H.S. Rules).

Out Of All Engagements.—South Sea Lass, Gay Bachelor, Kingston Gorse, Khovere, and Athling (dead).

South Mayo Point-to-Point—Miss Curran's Twilight won the cobs' race on Thursday, not Another Biscuit.

OBITUARY

MR. A. E. MacFARLANE

Mr. A. E. MacFarlane, who has died at his residence, 169 Cliftonpark avenue, Belfast, was a grandson of the Rev. Dr. Alexander Eadie, former Moderator of the Church of Scotland. He was Treasurer of the Congregational Union of Ireland from 1917 and a former Chairman. He carried on business as an estate agent and auctioneer.

CAPTAIN ERNEST PHIPPS

The death has occurred in Mallow, Co. Cork, of Captain Ernest Phipps, M.R.C.V.S. A native of South Cregg, Fermoy, Co. Cork, he served in the Boer War in the 45th Imperial Yeomanry under Lord Longford. During the Great War he was a captain in the Royal Army Veterinary Corps. Before he went to Mallow in 1919 he was for a short time in Bansha, Co. Tipperary. In Mallow he was prominently associated with the Duhallow Hunt, of which he was secretary from 1923 to 1928. He was honorary president of the Mallow Anglers' Association, and he was professionally associated with the Mallow racecourse for nearly 19 years.

The chief mourners at the funeral, which took place yesterday to Gooldshill Cemetery, were:—Mrs. M. E. Phipps (widow); Mr. John Pedder Phipps, the Rev. C. B. Phipps (Dublin), Mr. Henry Phipps (Fermoy), Messrs. Albert, Betram and Harold Phipps (brothers); Mrs. H. Peard and Mrs. Henry Phipps (sisters-in-law). Another brother, Mr. Walter Phipps, V.S., Oxford, and Mr. Harry Peard were unavoidably absent.

APPEAL AGAINST FIRE DAMAGE AWARD

An appeal from a malicious damage award of £2,000 in respect of the burning of 500 tons of straw, the property of the Killeen Paper Mills, Ltd., at Ballyfermott, on February 28th, last year, was opened, before Mr. Justice Haugh, in the High Court yesterday, and adjourned. The appeal was on behalf of Dublin County Council, and the only question was whether the fire had been malicious or not.

Mr. J. A. Costello, S.C. (instructed by Messrs. Arthur Cox and Co.), for the company, said that there had been a strike at the mills at the time of the fire, and, with the exception of two watchmen, no employees had been working there from early on the previous Saturday. These outbreaks negatived all reasonable explanations except malice. The amount of the decree represented only the cost price of the straw. At the hearing in the Circuit Court the County Council had advanced a theory of a burning rat running from one rick to another.

Irish News in Brief

Fell Under Lorry.—At an inquest in the City Morgue, Dublin, yesterday, Dr. E. A. MacErlean, City Coroner, found that James Maguire (64), of Rialto Cottages, Dublin, died on February 22nd last from injuries received when he fell under a horse-drawn lorry in Meath street on 1st November of last year.

Fell From Flats.—At an inquest in Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, Dr. MacErlean, City Coroner, found that Liam Byrne (7), of Whelan House, Thorncastle street, Ringsend, died of injuries which he received when he fell from a balcony in the flats on Tuesday evening last.

In Aid Of Sailors' Rest.—A Bring and Buy Sale was held in aid of the Dublin Sailors' Rest, 63 North Wall, yesterday, at the Ormond Quay and Scots' Church, Lower Abbey street. Lady Maffey opened the Sale and Mr. J. Hubbard Clark presided.

Sentence Remitted.—Judge Shannon, at the Circuit Civil Court, Dublin, yesterday, affirmed the conviction of Mary Jackson (17), Summerhill, Dublin, who appealed against a sentence of seven days' imprisonment for the illegal possession of briquettes. The judge remitted the sentence and placed the girl under a rule of bail.

More Boys Born. — 136 boys, as compared with 115 girls, were born in Dublin during the week ending March 3rd. There were 160 deaths—90 males and 70 females—in the same period.

Fifty Years' Service. — The Rev. Chancellor Edward J. Staunton, M.A., Rector, Tramore, has resigned his ministry after fifty years' service.

New Red Cross Branches.—New branches of the Irish Red Cross Society have been formed at Clontarf and Fairview, Dublin. The Chairman of the Clontarf branch is the Ven. Archdeacon MacMahon, P.P., and that of the Fairview branch the Rev. Walter McDonald, P.P.

Christ Church Cathedral.—The annual Confirmation Service will be held in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, on Tuesday at 11.30 a.m. On St. Patrick's Day there will be a parade of Church of Ireland members of the Defence Forces in the Cathedral at 11 a.m. A special Service has been arranged for the occasion.

Date of Trial Fixed.—The Special Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, fixed April 5th as the date of trial of Richard Flynn, a member of the Defence Forces, who is accused of having on February 14th, at Tralee, stolen a rifle, the property of the Minister for Defence. Also he is charged with receiving the rifle.

Alleged "Quick Result"

Christopher O'Connell (35), cattle agent, Drumcliffe road, was remanded in the Dublin District Court yesterday on charges of obtaining by a trick £42 18s. 11d. and £6 12s. 6d., the property of Messrs. J. and M. Mirrelson, turf accountants.

The State case, made by Mr. L. J. Lysaght, Chief State Solicitor's Department, was that O'Connell handed in an each-way "treble" bet in respect of two horses running in races at 4 o'clock and a third horse running in a race at 4.30 on February 17th. In handing in his slip O'Connell wrote the name of the horse running in the 4.30 race at Cheltenham first, followed by the names running in the 4 o'clock race at Wetherby and the 4 o'clock race at Cheltenham. The case was that that slip was not handed in until the results of the 4 o'clock races were known, and that O'Connell was simply gambling on the result of the third race.

In similar manner O'Connell, he alleged, handed in a "treble" each-way bet in respect of the 4.30 race at Wetherby and the 4.30 race at Cheltenham and the 5 o'clock race at Cheltenham, the bet being handed in when the results of the two 4.30 races were already known in the office. In this case O'Connell received £6 12s. 6d. winnings.

The runner in the third race was again a hot favourite, and its name appeared first on the betting slip. O'Connell was seen by Miss Cunningham, the clerk, and the porter, J. Corcoran, to have read the results of the earlier races before handing in his bets.

There was also a charge against him of trying to obtain the sum of £20 at the same office by placing a £5 each way bet, but the girl told O'Connell that Mr. Mirrelson wanted to speak to him about the two dockets in the previous week "as quick ones had been worked."

When charged O'Connell said that the bets were genuine and had been placed in time. The reason he put the horses in the later races first on the list was that he very much fancied them.

TRUST HOUSE TENANT MUST PAY RATES

When William J. Behan, Sailors' and Soldiers' Trust Houses, Bluebell, Co. Dublin, applied at Kilmainham to have a Court Order for non-payment of rates varied from £1 to 10s. per month, Mr. Desmond Moran, solicitor, stated that since the order was made in 1944 his client had been in bad health. He had a pension of £2 per week from the British Army, 7s. 6d. National Health Insurance benefit and received £1 15s. weekly from three of his children who were working. He was unable to pay £1 per month.

Miss Early, solicitor for the Dublin County Council, said that Behan had not paid rates for years and had given great trouble to the rate collector.

District Justice Reddin, refusing to vary the order, said that the defendant had made no effort to pay the amount due. If a Committal Order was issued and the defendant did not pay, he would go to jail.

Defence Opens in Trial of Dublin Gas Chief

THE defence in the case in which William J. Grey, Barnhill, Dalkey, secretary and general manager, Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company, is charged with having taken and applied to his own use 19 six-volt batteries valued at £117 3s., and with having conspired with Harold C. Hoskins, another official of the company, to take the batteries, opened in the Circuit Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday.

Addressing the jury on behalf of Grey, Mr. Cecil Lavery, S.C., said that the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company was one of the largest undertakings in Dublin. Grey had been chief executive of the business for something like 30 years, and the credit for all the modern improvements and developments in its efficient service was due in no small measure to Grey, and he was now accused of having fraudulently converted to his own use, 19 batteries of the company.

Mr. Lavery said that public attention had been attracted to the case in the District Court, when, on March 31st, 1943, the Dublin evening papers splashed the fact that the general manager of the Gas Company had been charged. All sorts of rumours flew around the city about the charges that could have justified such action by the police. "This sick man, undergoing medical treatment, had been arrested in Glasgow, and brought back to Dublin under close arrest, as if he were an absconding criminal," Mr. Lavery declared. It was not until May 6th that the State first brought evidence against him, and not until June 30th that he was returned for trial, and since then, "he has lived alone with his family, suspended from the Gas Company with no interest or activity, awaiting his trial, and all the time under suspicion."

AUXILIARY LIGHTING

In the year 1943, continued Mr. Lavery, Grey received a circular from one of the War Departments in England, advising the installation of auxiliary lighting systems in the ships belonging to the company—the ships which were so essential to the life of Dublin, facing what then was a very serious danger from air attacks. Mr. Grey, who was always in the forefront of progressive work in matters concerning the well-being of his employers and the commercial life of Dublin, thought this an excellent idea, and with Hoskins, decided to experiment with batteries in Grey's own home. This was not an unusual suggestion; both Grey and Robertson, the present assistant manager, often got appliances to test in their respective residences. Grey had always thought it a point of honour that his house should be lit by gas and not by current from the E.S.B. In testing the apparatus at Barnhill, therefore, Mr. Grey thought that he was entirely within his rights under the agreement with the company, and it was installed under the supervision of the head of the company's showrooms in Dun Laoghaire.

Besides the charges, Mr. Lavery said that an indirect suggestion had been made in the course of the trial, that the subject matter of some of Maher's falsified invoices had also gone to Mr. Grey's home. "I do not like making statements reflecting on someone not here," he said, "but I suggest that this material may have been used by Hoskins in wiring his own house, along with batteries, in the month of October, 1942." The work to which this sinister suggestion against Grey referred was actually carried out by a private contractor, who supplied all the materials employed.

Detective-Inspector N. Reynolds gave evidence of having arrested Grey in Glasgow on March 30, 1943, and taking him to Dublin. When charged Grey replied, "Not guilty!"

Cross-examined by Mr. Lavery, Inspector Reynolds said that Hoskins had told him that the electrical plant at Barnhill was intended for one of the company's ships later on. Mr. Lavery said that he desired to thank the inspector personally for the way he had treated Mr. Grey in Glasgow.

The Right Hon. James MacMahon, Chairman of the Gas Company, said that Mr. Grey, in a statement, referred to the fact that the Gas Company had undertaken to give him a free supply of gas and fuel, and, on principle, he had refused to get a supply of current from the E.S.B., even if installation of cables was then possible, which he doubted. The small lighting set which was set up in Grey's home had been purchased for a ship.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lavery, Mr. MacMahon said that much of the credit for the improvement of the Gas Company's position some years ago had been due to Mr. Grey. It was under pressure that Grey had gone on sick leave. Any suggestion that he was trying to evade his responsibilities or trying to get out of the country would, to the Board's knowledge, be untrue.

The Court adjourned until Monday morning, when the accused man will give evidence.

Nine Sentenced For Riot in Mountjoy Jail

That there was no foundation for the allegations that prisoners were ill-treated and beaten in Mountjoy Prison prior to the disturbance in the prison workshop on December 13th last, was the finding of the Special Criminal Court, Dublin. Yesterday the Court imposed sentences on the nine men accused of riot, assault on warders and damage to the prison workshop, estimated at over £400. During the riot Gerald Kilcullen and William Laverty escaped. Kilcullen still is at large.

The following were the sentences:—William Corbally, five years penal servitude; William Whelan, five years penal servitude; Christopher Matthews, four years penal servitude; Patrick Brown, three years penal servitude; Christopher Mitchell, 18 months imprisonment with hard labour; Hubert Kiernan, 12 months hard labour; Thomas Roche, six months hard labour; Michael Roche, six months hard labour; Thomas Brown, four months.

The President said that in the case of W. P. Smith, in respect of whom a *nolle prosequi* was entered, a direction would have been given on the charges if it had been applied for.

He said that only three prisoners—Kiernan and Michael Roche (who were in the dock) and Laverty (who was a witness in the case) swore that they had been assaulted by warders. The Court had given these matters very careful consideration, and had come to the conclusion that if any of these assaults ever took place, that testimony would have been supported by some prisoner, or prisoners, who must, of necessity, have heard the resulting commotion, or by some marks or bruises, which must have been apparent to the prison doctor or Governor; by complaint to the Governor or the Visiting Committee. It seemed incredible that these men, who knew their rights as prisoners, did not make a legitimate protest if treated in the brutal fashion complained of.

The President added that, although having no bearing on the charges before the Court, it was only right to say that, having regard to the serious nature of the offence on the night of December 13th, that the precautions taken by the Governor, when he confined and separated the prisoners, were necessary to ensure that normal conditions would be restored within the prison.

REFORM IN MEDICAL EDUCATION

Reform in medical education was discussed at a meeting of the Dublin University Biological Association, held in the Dixon Memorial Hall, Trinity College, Dublin, last night, in connection with the Irish Students' Association Congress.

Mr. J. D. Llewellyn-Jones, honorary secretary, Dublin University Biological Association, advocated free entry into the medical school, irrespective of race, creed or nationality, and said that students attending the course should be financed, not only to cover university expenses, but also living-in expenses. He added that he was in favour of the replacement of compulsory lectures by "tutorials," where one person gave instruction to a small group of students, and where the atmosphere was intimate and personal.

Mr. G. E. Rich, President of the British Medical Students' Association, said that there had been many discussions in the British schools on the "Goodenough" report, and a sub-committee had been formed to examine and to report on it.

Mr. J. G. Callanan, Medical Society, University College, Dublin, said that the answer to the question of reform would depend on the type of doctor they expected to produce, this depended to some extent on the demands of society.

Miss Audrey Lynas, Queen's University, Belfast, and Messrs. P. J. Maher, Medical Society, University College, Galway; D. Cunningham, Biological Society, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, and M. T. I. Cronin, Debating Society, Veterinary College, Dublin, also spoke.

Professor O'Donel Browne presided.

PHOTOGRAPHER WINS APPEAL

Mr. Justice Haugh, in the High Court yesterday, allowed the appeal of Basil Henry, photographer, South King street, Dublin, from a Circuit Court decree for £8, with six guineas medical fees and one guinea witnesses' expenses in favour of Pascal McSherry, an infant, suing by his father, Joseph, Stephen's lane, Mount street, Dublin, in his claim for damages for injuries received as the result of a lamp in a photographic apparatus exploding while he was being photographed in Mr. Henry's studio on August 25th, 1942.

Mr. Henry was allowed his costs in the Circuit Court, but directed to abide his own costs of the appeal.

BUTTER STOCKS

The amount of butter, both creamery and factory, in cold storage in Eire on February 28th was 66,426 cwt., compared with 84,671 on February 15th. From February 16th to 28th, 2,514 cwt. of creamery butter was manufactured.

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PROFIT RENT £40 11s. 6d. per annum, out of No. 3 Store Street (City Morgue), and 15 Talbot Place. Entire held on Lease for 999 years from 1831, subject, to £47 15s. 6d., and Leased (a) 15 Talbot Place for 500 years, subject yearly rent £35; (b) 99 years from 1900, subject yearly rent £53 7s. 0d. Total, £88 7s. 0d. Net annual profit rent thus £40 11s. 6d.

N.B.—The Auctioneers take the opportunity of directing attention to the superabundant security offered.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE TWO-DAY CLEARANCE SALE

OF SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, FARM IMPLEMENTS, COWS, CATTLE, HORSES, HAY, BARLEY, ROOTS AND AUSTIN SALOON CAR.

WE HAVE BEEN FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM J. R. MURPHY, Esq., TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

At BROMLEY HOUSE, KILPEDDER, COUNTY WICKLOW,
On THURSDAY, MARCH 15th, 1945, at 11.30 o'clock sharp.

The following is a brief résumé:—Chippendale Bureau Bookcase, Sheraton Bowfronted Chest of Drawers, Chippendale Bookcase, Mahog. Blanket Chest, pr. of Tudor Hall Chests, Louis-style Marquetry Cabinets, Set oi Nelson Diningroom Chairs, Chesterfield Suites, Wicker Basket Chairs, Cabinets, Tables and Chairs in Mahog. and Walnut Bedroom Suites, splendid Englisi. and Oriental Carpets and Rugs, numerous pairs Curtains, Oil Paintings and Water Colours, by eminent artists; Silver Plate and fine English China, Dinner Services, Ornaments, Oil Silk Rice Papers, Paintings, Carved Cabinet, Danemann Piano, Walnut Nest of Tables, Single and Double Walnut and Mahog. Bedsteads, H.M.V. Wireless Set 4 size Billiard Table, Flat Office Desk and Chair, Sheraton Fire Screen, Anthracite Stoves, Tea Trolleys, Dining Tables, Revolving Book Stand and Books, numerous valuable Ornaments usual Kitchen Utensils, Linen and Rubber Floor Covering, Stair Carpet, D.B. B.L. Gun, and numerous other Miscellaneous Lots.

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Vacant possession will be given the purchaser.

Conditions of Sale from
JAMES L. BURKE & CO., Solicitors for the Administratrix, 63 Upper O'Connell street.

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SALE OF THE HOUSE THE
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WILL BE AUCTIONED.

These principally comprise:—Cottage Piano (Crane & Co.), Piano Stool, Occasional Tables and Chairs, China Cabinet, Mahogany Chiffonier, China and Glass Ware, Hall stand, Hall Table and Chairs, Antique Sideboard, Bureau and Bookcase, Mahogany Dining Table, Bedroom Furniture, including 3-Piece Mahogany Suites, Beds and Bedding, "Singer" Sewing Machine; usual Kitchen Furniture and Effects, Lawn Mower. Furniture on View morning of Sale from 10.30 o'clock. Admission to Viewing and Sale, 6d.

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers, M.I.A.A.,
2 SAINT ANDREW STREET.

SALE by Public Auction, Pedigree Bull, Milch Cows, Store Cattle, Calves, Dairying Utensils, etc., at Nanger Castle, Clondalkin, per instructions of Vincent Hughes, Esq., on Monday next, March 12, at 2 p.m. 17 Milch Cows, 1 In-calf Cow, 8 In-calf Heifers, 5 2-year Heifers, 3 2-year Bullocks, 3 Calves, 6 spanking 10 Yearlings, 1 Suck Calf. Pedigree Shorthorn Bull, 17 months (Licensed); 12 Gal. Churn, 5 10 Gal. Churns, 6 Gal. Churn, Buckets, Strainers, etc.; 30ft. Straw Elevator, Drill Plough, Ransome Chill Plough, with drilling attachment; Grubber, Tractor Trailer (solid rubber tyres), one Pair Fordson Tractor Front Wheels (14" wide), Pony, Milk Float, Four-Wheel Pony Trap, 3 to 4 Tons Scrap Iron (including Mower Chassis, Angle Iron, Oil Drums, etc.); 24 Used Motor Tyres, 2 Farm Carts, in perfect order. Immediately after above Sale we will offer, at Kilcarberry, adjacent to Nanger, a large quantity of Farmyard Manure. 12.45 Newcastle Bus from Aston's Quay passes Gate.—JOHN McKEOWN, Auctioneer (phone 74022), HAYMARKET.

SALE OF FAT AND STORE CATTLE

Will be held in our Sale Yard,
11 MAGDALENE ST., DROGHEDA, on
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Entries include HEAVY and WELL-CONDITIONED BULLOCKS, BULLING HEIFERS and COWS.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF
FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY, Etc., Etc.

FAVOURED with instructions from Mr. Bernard Duffy, I will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on TUESDAY NEXT, 13th MARCH, 1945, at 12 o'clock (Summer Time), at

CARRICKMACROSS, CO. MONAGHAN

1. One 1939 4 Fordson Tractor with spade lugs, lights, hand brake, belt pulley. Power take-off winding drum, with 60 yds. wire rope.
2. One Set Pneumatic Wheels to suit Fordson Tractor.
3. One Ransome 36" Thresher, all ball-bearings, on pneumatics. No. 45005.
4. One Thomson 30ft. Elevator.
5. One Ford Fergusson Tractor with spade lugs, lights and puller. Also Plough and Cultivator.
6. One Set Pneumatic Wheels to suit Ford Fergusson Tractor.
7. One 6-ton Tractor Trailer, sprung, on twin-pneumatics 38" x 7", with powerful brakes.
8. One 6-ton Trailer.
9. One Oliver 8s Tractor Plough.
10. One Massey-Harris 7ft. Tandem Disc Harrow, 16" discs.
11. One Massey-Harris Disc Coradrill, with horse and tractor poles.
12. One Smart Zig-Zag Harrow.
13. One McCormack 5ft. Binder on pneumatic road wheels, also spare canvasses.
14. One three-berth Caravan, with Trailer (to hold 3 tons), OIL.
15. One 1936 B.S.A. De Luxe Model Motor Cycle, 2½ h.p.
16. One New No. 8s Pierce Mower and Reaper (never used).
17. One No. 8s Pierce two-horse Mowing Machine, with reaping attachments (used one season).
18. One Drill Grubber.
19. One Self-Filling Silpe.
20. One 3 h.p. Paraffin "Handyboy" Engine.
21. One Pierce Thresher 26" drum and shakers.
22. One small Corn Grinder.
23. One 1938 Fordson Tractor, cylinder block re-bored and fitted with new crankshaft, pistons, etc.
24. One Set Hoded Patent Tractor Chains.
25. One Bamford No. 7 Tractor Trailer Mower.
26. One 5-year-old Mare, Van and Harness.
27. One Full-Size Thresher Cover.
28. 42 Gals. each Heavy Gear Oil and Tractor Oil.
29. New Set Cart Harness, full size, and 2 Cart Collars.
30. Set Steel Spade Lugs for Allis-Chalmers or Fordson Tractor.
31. One-Wheel Horse Clipping Machine.
32. One Double Board Plough.
33. One Driving Belt, 55' x 5" x 5 ply.
34. A large quantity of Binder Twine.
35. One Ford 8 1938/39 model. In perfect order.
36. One new 7 ft. disc Harrow, by British Eng. Co. to English Department of Agriculture specification. 28 disc, 20" diameter, with 15 cwt.
37. One new 13-row new pattern Pierce Corndrills, 51" width between the coulters; specially suitable for tractor work.
38. A large selection of Spare Parts, including:—One Concave, Riddle Crank, Pair Gearwheels, Axle and Chubber Knives, Fordson Governor, Pulley, Dynamo, Magneto, Lamps, Fan Belts, Covers, Spare Shoes for Oliver and Ford Fergusson Ploughs; quantity of Balata Belting, Semi-Rotary Pump, 40 yds. 1" Wire Rope (New), 40ft. 1" Wire Rope, Pulley Blocks and Chains, Snatch Pulley, Screw Jacks, Steel Wheels and Axle for 3ft. Thresher, Axles and Wheels on pneumatics to suit cart, trailer or cart, etc., etc.

All Machinery in perfect working order, and very little used.

PLEASE NOTE—Trains arrive in Carrickmacross from Dublin, Dundalk and Inniskeen at 11.30 a.m. and leave at 5.30 p.m. on day of Sale.

TERMS—Cash and Commission.
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"WILSON'S" £21,272-10-0 SALE RESULTS—FEB.

The following Sales were made during the month of February by Mr. Kevin J. Wilson, Commercial Buildings, Dame street, Dublin:

The City Licensed Premises in North King street, Dunne's, £2,527 10/-, and Griffin's, £2,600.

City Licensed Premises, convenient to the Quays, £1,450.

City 6-day Licensed Premises, The Park Bar, 36 Patrick street, 1,800, to Mr. J. Moran, The Frontier Hotel, Warrenpoint, Co. Down.

Modern Shop at Crumlin, £3,500.

The Gardens, Lucan, Co. Dublin, £3,840.

The following Shop Interests, Shops and Tobacconists:—

Cabra District, £800.
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Clanbrassil street, £600.
Dean street, £300.
Winetavern street, £200.
North Frederick street, £1,000.
Drapery, Wicklow street, £1,100.
Harold's Cross road, £300.
Off Capel street, £500.
South King street, £650.

Open to receive Bookings of Auctions for March. Numerous clients for purchase of Shop Interests, and all types of Shops. Send full details.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

URBAN DISTRICT OF BRAY.

ESPLANADE CARETAKER REQUIRED.

The Wicklow County Manager will, at his meeting on March 26th, 1945, be prepared to receive applications for the position of Esplanade Caretaker and Gardener of the Esplanade, Bray.

The appointment will be whole-time and pensionable, and Candidates must not be less than 21 or of more than 45 years of age on the 1st January, 1945.

The person appointed must produce evidence of age. The weekly wages will be £3 per week, with Park Lodge and garden, with fuel and light free.

A copy of the conditions of the appointment and duties may be obtained from the undersigned during the usual office hours.

Application, with copies of references, should reach me not later than 12 o'clock on date above mentioned.

SEAN MacCATHMHAOIL,
Cleirc Cuntae agus an Bhaile.
Arus an Bhaile, Bri Chualann.
7adh Marta, 1945.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.

TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders are invited for Covering Roofs over Shops at 9, 9a and 10 High street in 3-ply Vulcanite. Copies of specification and Tender forms may be obtained in the office of the City Treasurer, Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street, on payment of a fee of one guinea, which will be refunded to contractors who submit bona fide tenders and subsequently withdraw. Plans must be delivered not later than 12 noon on Thursday, 22nd March, 1945.

J. HERNON,
City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 8th March, 1945.

PATENT.

The Proprietors of Patent No. 13,372 entitled "IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO THE PREVENTION OF SLUDGE FORMATION IN LUBRICATING OILS" desire to enter into arrangements, by way of licence, for the exploitation of the invention in this country. Apply:—
H. D. FITZPATRICK & CO.,
Registered Patent & Trade Mark Agents,
16/17 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin.

THE IRISH ASSOCIATION OF ACCOUNTANTS LIMITED.

The Council give notice that the Preliminary, Intermediate and Final Examinations will be held on the 23rd, 24th and 26th May, 1945.

Applications to sit for the Examinations must be received on or before 10th April, 1945.

Forms can be had from the Secretary, 102/3 Grafton street, Dublin.

ALLIANCE & DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY.
STOCKHOLDERS' PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

Stockholders should note that they are NOT bound to complete Proxies in favour of the present Directors. It is requested that support be given to the candidates of the Association—Messrs. M. W. O'Reilly and J. J. Walsh, by signing Proxies in their favour. Proxies may be obtained on request from the undersigned.

S. P. McHUGH (Secretary), 9 Lr. O'Connell Street, Dublin.

TENDERS

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

TENDERS INVITED.

Tenders are invited for the following Supplies and Services to Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin, and Portrane Mental Hospital, Donabate, Co. Dublin, for the periods specified, commencing in each case on 1st April, 1945:—

FOR THREE MONTHS OR SIX MONTHS.
1. Prime Beef and Mutton, etc.
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3. Pork Sausages.
4. Chickens.
5. Best Kipper Herrings.
6. Rice (Loose).

FOR SIX MONTHS.
7. Mineral Waters.
8. Jute Boots and Nurses' Shoes.
9. Carriage of Supplies from Donabate Station to Portrane Mental Hospital.
10. Purchase of Boiled Bones.

FOR TWELVE MONTHS.
11. Best Creamery Butter.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

Should any increase or decrease take place in the price of any commodity as a direct result of any Order issued by the Government after the date of acceptance of a contract or tender, the contract price shall be increased or decreased accordingly.

All contracts must be executed by Trade Union labour under Trade Union conditions.

Sealed tenders on official forms, copies of which may be obtained on application, will be received up to but not later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, 21st March, 1945.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JAMES J. DOYLE,
Chief Clerk,
Grangegorman Mental Hospital,
Dublin, 7th March, 1945.

FUEL IMPORTERS (EIRE), LTD.

TENDERS FOR THE HANDLING OF TURF AT CORK.

Tenders are invited for the following Turf Handling Operations at Cork:—

(a) Discharging railway wagons and building into ricks and dumps in CORK.

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A deposit of one guinea, which will be refunded on receipt of a bona fide tender, must accompany each application.

Tenders enclosed in sealed envelopes, marked "Turf Handling," must be received at the Office of Fuel Importers (Eire), Ltd., not later than 12 noon on Wednesday, 21st March, 1945.

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DON'T PAY INCOME TAX without consulting us.—MacDONAGH and BOLAND, Ltd., 51 Dame St., Dublin. Phone 22288.—(Advt.)

GUINNESS GO AHEAD

PUBLIC interest was on a broad scale on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and markets were active. Irish Industrials claimed the bulk of attention, and good buying resulted in some firm features.

Home Government Funds were not so busy, and Second National Loan eased to 113¼, but Security Loan recovered to 106¾. 4½ p.c. New Land Bonds advanced 15s. to 116½. British Funds held steady, and Dublin 4½ p.c. 1955-75 firmed up to 110. Guinness Units were in good demand, and jumped 1s. 3d. to 139s. 3d. The Transport Group made a steadier showing, apart from Coras Iompair Common, which was still quietly offered, and gave way 1½ points to 70. Associated Chocolate Deb. tended higher to 21s. 6d., and Associated Properties Pref. soared 1s. 6d. to 28s. 6d. Cement Ord. hardened to 47s., Clondalkin Paper Ord. to 6s. 8d., and Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord. to 12s. 7½d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second National Loan (1158½), 113⅜; 4½ p.c. Loan (under £200) (113⅛), 113; 4½ p.c. Third Loan (under £200) (109¾), 109⅝; 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement (109), 109; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (1955-75), 110; 3½ p.c. National Security (1065), 106¾; 4½ p.c. New Land Bonds (116), *116¾; do. (under £200) (115¾), 116; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (1081), 108½; do. (under £200) (1084), 108¼; 3½ p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (102½), 102½; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105⅛), 105, 105⅜; do. (Bank of England), *106⅜; 4 p.c. Funding Loan, 115⅞.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Bray 3½ p.c. 1951 (95⅜), 97b; Dublin 3½ p.c. 1963/'83 (101⅛), 101⅜; do. 4½ p.c. 1955/'75 (109½), *110.

BANKS — Bank of Ireland (363), *362; Munster and Leinster (142½), 142/6; Royal (143), 144.

BREWERIES—Cairnes Ord. (22/6), 22/6b, 23/-; Guinness Ord. (138/-), 139/3, 139/3.

TRANSPORT—Coras Iompair Common (71¼), *69¾, 70½, *70; do. Deb. (99), 99, 99; Great Northern Ord. (27½), 27½; do. Pref. (43½), 43½; do. Deb. (92), 92.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (22/11½), 22/11½; Allied Ironfounders "A" Ord. (4/-), *4/-; do. Pref. (21/-), 21/-; Assoc. Chocolate Deb. (21/1½), 21/6; Assoc. Properties Pref. (27/-), 28/6; Burke (E. and J.) Def. (1/7½), 3/7½; Cantrell and Cochrane Ord. (11½), 13a; Carroll Pref. (29/9), 29/9b; Cement Ord. (46/10½), *46/10½, 47/-; do. Deb. (110¼), *110; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (6/6), 6/8; Dublin South City Markets (101½), *103¾; Ever Ready Ord. (12/6), 12/7½; Goodbody Pref. (29/-), 30/-; Goulding Pref. (20/-), 20/-; Greenmount and Harold's Cross Mahog. and Walnut Bedroom Suites, splendid Englisi. and Oriental Carpets and Rugs, numerous pairs Curtains, Oil Paintings and Water Colours, by eminent artists; Silver Plate and fine English China, Dinner Services, Ornaments, Oil Silk Rice Papers, Paintings, Carved Cabinet, Danemann Piano, Walnut Nest of Tables, Single and Double Walnut and Mahog. Bedsteads, H.M.V. Wireless Set 4 size Billiard Table, Flat Office Desk and Chair, Sheraton Fire Screen, Anthracite Stoves, Tea Trolleys, Dining Tables, Revolving Book Stand and Books, numerous valuable Ornaments usual Kitchen Utensils, Linen and Rubber Floor Covering, Stair Carpet, D.B. B.L. Gun, and numerous other Miscellaneous Lots.

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SALE by Public Auction, Pedigree Bull, Milch Cows, Store Cattle, Calves, Dairying Utensils, etc., at Nanger Castle, Clondalkin, per instructions of Vincent Hughes, Esq., on Monday next, March 12, at 2 p.m. 17 Milch Cows, 1 In-calf Cow, 8 In-calf Heifers, 5 2-year Heifers, 3 2-year Bullocks, 3 Calves, 6 spanking 10 Yearlings, 1 Suck Calf. Pedigree Shorthorn Bull, 17 months (Licensed); 12 Gal. Churn, 5 10 Gal. Churns, 6 Gal. Churn, Buckets, Strainers, etc.; 30ft. Straw Elevator, Drill Plough, Ransome Chill Plough, with drilling attachment; Grubber, Tractor Trailer (solid rubber tyres), one Pair Fordson Tractor Front Wheels (14" wide), Pony, Milk Float, Four-Wheel Pony Trap, 3 to 4 Tons Scrap Iron (including Mower Chassis, Angle Iron, Oil Drums, etc.); 24 Used Motor Tyres, 2 Farm Carts, in perfect order. Immediately after above Sale we will offer, at Kilcarberry, adjacent to Nanger, a large quantity of Farmyard Manure. 12.45 Newcastle Bus from Aston's Quay passes Gate.—JOHN McKEOWN, Auctioneer (phone 74022), HAYMARKET.

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32. One Double Board Plough.
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36. One new 7 ft. disc Harrow, by British Eng. Co. to English Department of

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BRIGHAM—March 9, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Newtown School, Waterford, a daughter.

BROWN—March 6, 1945, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, to Tudy (*née* MacArthur), wife of J. Wilson Brown, 40 Sandycove road, a son.

COLE—March 6, 1945, at Harcourt Nursing Home, to Gertrude, wife of John C. Cole, Cartron, Sligo, a son.

DOOLY—March 5, 1945, at the Stella Maris Nursing Home, Earlsfort terrace, to Mai, wife of John C. Dooly, Garrynisk, Clondalkin, a daughter.

ELLIOTT—February 24, 1945, at the Leinster Private Nursing Home, to May, wife of William A. Elliott, 19 Dartmouth road, a son.

ELLIS—March 2, 1945, at the Elpis Nursing Home, Lower Mount street, to Violet (*née* Alcahire), wife of Kent Ellis, 29 Ramleh Park, Milltown road, a daughter.

HASLAM—March 2, 1945, to Betty, wife of Thomas McMurry Haslam, Portland Hill, Lorrha, Birr, a son.

KING—February 24, 1945, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, to John and Rebecca King, ..., Trim, a son.

LAWRENCE—March 5, 1945, at Imperial Nursing Home, Cheltenham, to Valerie, wife of Robert Seton Lawrence, a daughter (... Muriel).

LEET—February 9, 1945, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Noël (*née* Crawford), wife of John Oliver Leet, of 55 Park avenue, Sandymount, a daughter.

MITCHELL—March 6, 1945, at the Leinster Private Nursing Home, to Muriel (*née* ...), wife of William A. Mitchell, 23 ... avenue, Clonskeagh, a daughter (Heather Muriel).

OAKES—February 27, 1945, at Mrs. ...'s Nursing Home, Lower Crescent, to ... (*née* Johnston) and Reginald W. Oakes, ... Cliftonville avenue, Belfast, a daughter.

POLDEN—March 5, 1945, at 93 Lower ... street, to Ada, wife of Stan. H. Polden, 12 Parkmore Drive, Terenure, a son.

QUA—March 6, 1945, at Miss Overend's Nursing Home, 29 Upper Mount street, Dublin, to Ina, wife of John Qua, 20 Merrion View avenue, Ballsbridge, a son.

ROWE—March 5, 1945, at Windsor Nursing Home, to Vera, wife of William R. Rowe, a daughter (Pamela Millicent).

SMITH—March 4, 1945, at Elpis Nursing Home, Dublin, to Joan (*née* Ross), wife of Wellwood S. Smith, 55 Seafield road, Clontarf, a son (Robert Wellwood).

MARRIAGES

LEWIS and MERRITT—December 27, 1944, at Kilcooley Church, by the Rev. W. ... Hazelton, M.A.; William C., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lewis, John Street, Kilkenny, to Louie, elder daughter of ... Isabell and the late Mr. E. Merritt, The Commons, Thurles.

POLLARD and DRIVER—January 30, 1945, at St. Peter's Church, Kiltegan, by the Rev. J. B. Fisher, B.D., Thomas Charles (Toney), youngest son of Mrs. Pollard and the late Charles Pollard, Coolmanagh, Hacketstown, Co. Carlow, to Margaret Mary, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Driver, Mungolduff, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow.

RYAN and HEAPHY—January 23, 1945, at St. Michael's Church, Tipperary, by Rev. Gabriel Loughrey, C.C., Kilkenny, assisted by Very Rev. Canon M. O'Sullivan, V.F., V.G., Middlesbrough; Rev. J. Hayes, C.C.; Rev. P. Morrissey (with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing); Michael, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ryan, Mitchelstown, to Aine Gerardine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Heaphy, National Bank, Tipperary.

VEITCH and TONKIN—February 27, 1945, at Illogan Highway, Fore street, Methodist Chapel, by the Rev. W. H. Blackenbury, George, youngest son of John and the late Georgina Veitch, Cork, to Gladys Margarate, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tonkin, Portreath, Cornwall, England.

DEATHS

HOOD—February 19, 1945, Margaret, aged 74 years, dearly-beloved wife of late James Hood, late of Riverview, Avoca, and of The Vicarage, Skellingthorpe, Lincoln, England. Inserted by her loving son and daughter, May and Robert. Gone to be with Christ, which is far better.

INGOUVILLE-WILLIAMS — March 9, 1945, Herbrand, M.C., M.A., L.R.C.P.I., D.P.M., of 40 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, son of the late Colonel and Mrs. Ingouville-Williams, of Oaklands, Stakeshill, Cosham, Hants. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to Church of St. Mary of the Angels, Church street, arriving 3 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday). Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, Monday, to Glasnevin.

JORDAN—March 8, 1945, at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Mary Josephine, elder daughter of the late James Jordan, formerly of Airfield, Rathgar. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-day (Saturday) to Glasnevin.

KELLY—March 9, 1945, at his mother's residence, Whitestown House, Rush, Michael J. Kelly, Leura, Rush, Co. Dublin. May he rest in peace. Funeral and houses private. No flowers; prayers.

MACCORMACK—March 9, 1945, Mary, wife of Dr. Charles J. MacCormack, Sorrento, Bushy Park road, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral, after 9 o'clock Mass, from St. Joseph's, Terenure, Monday, 12th March.

McKEON—March 9, 1945, at his residence, John J. McKeon, Abbey street, Roscommon, late Chief Clerk, Crown and Peace Office. Remains will be removed this (Saturday) evening to Sacred Heart Church at 7 o'clock. Requiem Mass at 10.30 o'clock on Monday. Funeral immediately after to St. Coman's Cemetery. American papers please copy.

OWENS—March 8, 1945 (after a long illness), at 7 Warwick terrace, Leeson Park, Henry, beloved husband of Mary Owens. Deeply regretted by his loving wife, family and relatives. Funeral this (Saturday) morning, after short Service at his residence, arriving Mount Jerome 9.15 a.m.

ROCHFORT — February, 1945, George Rochfort Tregaskis, only son of Trevor Tregaskis, Shamba, St. Leonards, Ringwood, Hants., and grandson of the late Mrs. Rochfort, Battley, Dalkey, Co. Dublin.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found in Page 3.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

MONKS—The family and relatives of the late Patrick J. Monks, 5 Adrian avenue, Harold's Cross, express their sincere appreciation to all who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, and, in particular, to the Irish Glass Bottle Co. and Staff.

IN MEMORIAM

BLOOMER—In loving memory of our dear father, Joseph David Bloomer, Bracklin, who died 10th March, 1943. Always remembered.

BRYAN—In fond memory of our dearly-loved brother, Joseph Alexander (Joe), who was taken to rest 11th March, 1944. "Peace, perfect peace." With loved ones far away!

FAHY—In loving memory of my dear husband, Ned Fahy, died March 10th, 1944. R.I.P.—Violet.

FAHY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of dearest dad, Edward Fahy, who died March 10, 1944, at his residence, Elm Mount, The Grove, Stillorgan. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

HOFFMAN—In loving memory of Mother, who died 10th March, 1944. Sadly missed by her son and daughters.

MOHAN—In affectionate memory of John ("Johnnie") Mohan, of Blackrock, Co. Dublin, who died in London, March 5th, 1944.—Inserted by his brother, Peter.

ROBERTS—In loving memory of my dear son, Arthur, who died 11th March, 1925; also his wife, Annie, died 12th February, 1925.—Mother.

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of GEORGE WILSON, late of 49 Lr. Kimmage road, in the city of Dublin, Retired Railway Official, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 24th day of December, 1944, are hereby required on or before the 10th day of April, 1945, to furnish (in writing), particulars of all such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for Henry Wilson, the Administrator, to whom Administration with Will annexed of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 28th day of February, 1945.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 10th day of April, 1945, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1945.

MICHAEL J. BOWERS, Solicitor, 24 Dame street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of ROBERT HARKNESS, Deceased, of 4 Merton Drive, Ranelagh, Dublin.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 19th June, 1944, are hereby requested, on or before the 12th day of April, 1945, to furnish particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of the Will was granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 27th day of November, 1944.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the 12th day of April, 1945, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1945.

MATHESON, ORMSBY & PRENTICE, Solicitors for the Executors, 16/17 Lr. O'Connell street, Dublin.

PERSONAL.

OWING to pressure on our space, many Advertisements ordered for this issue are unavoidably held over.

OWING to the death of Mrs. L. McFerran, a Director of this Firm, we beg to notify our customers that our showrooms, South Great George's street and Exchequer street, will be closed until 10.30 a.m. To-day (Saturday). WHYTE & SONS, LTD., Glass and China Merchants.

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N.B.—Furniture Auction on the premises at a later date.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND, F.S.I., M.I.A.A., Auctioneers & Chartered Surveyors, 10 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. Phone 72691/2.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE.

TO BUILDERS & PROPERTY INVESTORS. KENNEDY ESTATES.

BY DIRECTION OF M. P. KENNEDY, Esq.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, IN TWENTY-TWO LOTS.

On WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH, 1945, At OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m. sharp

TRIMLESTON, GRANITE HALL & RICHMOND HILL ESTATES,

CONSISTING OF EXTENSIVE BUILDING ESTATE AT TRIMLESTON, ROCK ROAD, BOOTERSTOWN, PARTLY DEVELOPED, AND WITH PLANS APPROVED FOR THE ERECTION OF OVER 150 HOUSES; NINETEEN HOUSES IN RICHMOND GROVE, MONKSTOWN; UPPER EDEN ROAD, AND GLENAGEARY TERRACE, DUN LAOGHAIRE, ALL LET, AND PRODUCING A NET INCOME OF PER £1,069 ANNUM.

ALSO PROFIT GROUND RENT OUT OF 59 HOUSES ON THE TRIMLESTON ESTATE, AMOUNTING TO APPROXIMATELY, PER £375 10s. 0d. ANNUM.

Owing to Advertising space being rationed, no detailed particulars can be given in this Advertisement. Full information will be found in the Conditions of Sale, now available. Solicitors: Messrs. ARTHUR O'HAGAN & SON, 9 Harcourt Street, Dublin.

No. 1 SHREWSBURY ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.

THE AUCTION OF THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN DEFERRED. DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN DUE COURSE.

AUCTION SALE, TUESDAY, 27th MARCH, 1945, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m., KILLESTER HOUSE (off Howth Road), IN TWO LOTS.

LOTS ONE AND TWO WILL BE OFFERED TOGETHER, FIRSTLY, AND IF NOT SOLD, LOT ONE, CONSISTING OF KILLESTER HOUSE AND ABOUT 2 ACRES, WILL BE OFFERED SEPARATELY.

LOT ONE.

Killester House consists of a magnificent, detached, non-basement Residence, close to bus service, and completely secluded in its own walled-in grounds. The Residence is exceptionally well built, and has been the subject of considerable expenditure, resulting in its present excellent condition. It is a house of great distinction, and has an old-world charm about it. Magnificent gardens, tennis lawn, beautiful flower and rock gardens and pleasure grounds. It is a most conveniently planned house, consisting of: Square lounge hall, with fireplace; cloakroom, with telephone; separate w.c., with hand-basin (h. & c.); drawingroom, with door to conservatory, double doors to diningroom, which communicates direct with the tiled kitchen offices; morning room, with leaded windows, overlookng the tennis lawn; sun loggia, billiard room, 6 bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, with shower, heated towel rail, w.c.; 2 maids' bedrooms, trunk room, heated linen press, butler's pantry, with sink (h. and c.); tiled kitchen, scullery, larder. Outside yard, w.c., chauffeur's room, apple room, peach house and tomato houses, potting shed, garage for several cars, summer houses, etc.

This House has been inspected by the Auctioneers, and can be recommended as one of the most attractive residential properties in the north suburbs.

The Premises will be sold on Lease for 999 years, subject to a Ground Rent of £15. P.L.V., £55. (Actual Rates, £53 6s. 9d.)

LOT TWO

Consists of Lands adjoining, comprising about 2½ ACRES, with orchard, including vinery and tomato houses, with large yard and three sheds, adaptable for market gardening. These Lands have frontages of about 650ft. on Killester Avenue, and are ripe for building. The property will be sold on Lease for 999 years, subject to a Ground Rent of £10. P.L.V., £6.

NOTE—As stated above, the Purchaser, at the Auction, will have the opportunity of purchasing the entire Premises in the first instance. VACANT POSSESSION.

View only by appointment with the Auctioneers between 3-5 p.m.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitor—PATRICK F. O'REILLY, 8 South Great George's Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE. EXECUTOR'S SALE, 32 LANSDOWNE ROAD, DUBLIN.

Substantial well-built, semi-detached family Residence occupying a choice and convenient position on this quiet road.

The accommodation is as follows:—Front and back halls, spacious drawingroom and diningroom, breakfast room 4 family bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom and lavatory, large tiled kitchen, with gas laid on; pantry, with shelving; 2 fuel stores, boot room. Good front garden, and large walled-in garden at rear, which has been well maintained. Out-offices include: Outside lavatory, coach house with loft overhead, and 2 loose boxes; side entrance; telephone installed. P.L.V., £55.

The premises are held on Pembroke Lease, 150 year from 1859, subject to £8 per annum. VACANT POSSESSION. Seen only by appointment with the Auctioneers.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors—Messrs. JOHN R. PEART & SON, 38 St. Stephen's Green, N., Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL, BLACKROCK, SALTHILL, GALWAY.

FOR SALE AS A GOING CONCERN (REGISTERED IRISH TOURIST BOARD).

This beautifully situated Hotel occupies one of the premier positions in Salthill, one of our best favoured and most progressive seaside resorts. Situated beside the Golf Course, with the bathing strand immediately opposite the Hotel, and the use of six tennis courts at the rear, the Astor House Hotel, with its obvious possibilities of considerable extension, affords a rare opportunity to those interested in the hotel trade.

The property, which has been erected on an elevated site, as yet but partially developed, with beautiful views of the Clare coast across Galway Bay, has been successfully designed to attract the maximum of sunshine.

The accommodation, which is on two floors, is as follows:—Lounge hall, large sun lounge (32' x 17½'), with bay windows; comfortable study, each with pitch pine floors; 5 good sized bedrooms (3 opening on to flat roof, by Graves, of Waterford; 3 with h. and c.), built-in wardrobe in one bedroom; well-equipped bathroom, 3 w.c.s, large kitchen, fitted for electric cookers, turf range; scullery, china pantry, cloakroom. There is also a detached four-bedroomed Bungalow, with w.c., electric light, and main water throughout the property. Telephone installed. Garage. Bus, which stops at the Hotel, meets the train. Wine and tobacco licence attached.

The property is held in fee-simple, and has a frontage of 140ft. to the sea road. P.L.V., £29.

The purchaser will be given an option to acquire the complete Furnishings and Equipment at a valuation. Inspection only by appointment, either direct (phone Salthill 53), or through the Auctioneers.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors: P. C. MOORE, Esq., 18 Dame Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE (Arthur W. McCabe, F.A.I., M.I.A.A.), COLLEGE GREEN, DUBLIN. Telephone 21601 (2 Lines).

AUCTIONS BY SMITH GRIFFIN & CO. (ESTABLISHED OVER 70 YEARS).

WEDNESDAY NEXT, MARCH 14th, 1945, AT 140 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, at 2.30 p.m., LOYOLA, 226 COLLINS AVENUE, WHITEHALL.

Modern, Semi-detached, Non-basement House, pleasantly situated on this fine thoroughfare; convenient to Nos. 3, 16, 17 and 20 bus routes. Accommodation comprises:—Sittingroom, diningroom (sliding doors), 4 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c.; hot press, sep. w.c., large kitchen (with closed range and built-in press); fine gardens front and rear, garage to front. Long lease, subject to £10 p.a. P.L.V. £21.

Seen Daily, 3 to 5 p.m.

Solicitor—DESMOND A. O'CONNOR, Esq., 140 St. Stephen's Green.

5, 6, 7, 8 PHIBSBOROUGH and 181 PHIBSBOROUGH RD. ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT.

Conveniently located near Doyle's Corner, comprising 4 Houses off Phibsborough Road, known as The Boro', and No. 181 Phibsborough Road a substantial, double-fronted, 2-storey corner House, with side entrance. Let to old-standing weekly tenants, and producing £110 10s. 0d. gross. Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 are comprised in leases for lives renewable for ever (on payment of Peppercorn Rent only), subject to a total ground rent of £21 1s. 2d. No. 181 is held in fee-simple. Total P.L.V. £45 10s 0d.

Solicitors: Messrs. E. & G. STAPLETON, 29 Molesworth Street.

WE have been favoured with instructions from the Representatives of the late VINCENT J. ROANTREE, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28th, 1945, At 140 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, at 2.30 p.m., ST. ITA'S, NEWTOWNPARK AVENUE, BLACKROCK.

FREEHOLD RESIDENCE, ON APP. 13 ACRES.

Substantial, two-storey, double-fronted, non-basement Residence, with porched entrance, EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR MARKET GARDENING, DAIRY FARMING, AND ALSO OF POTENTIAL VALUE FOR BUILDING DEVELOPMENT in the post-war era. The accommodation consists of two reception rooms, breakfast room, four family bedrooms, dressingroom, kitchen, pantries, etc., bathroom, sep. w.c.; servants' wing, containing two rooms, with separate staircase. Extensive range of out-offices, including FOUR-BAY HAY SHED and REGISTERED COW SHED. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER THROUGHOUT RESIDENCE and OUT-OFFICES. Carriage drive, with GATE LODGE at entrance.

The Auctioneers have inspected and recommend this attractive property. We would point out that over £1,000 was recently expended by the late owner on repairs and renovations to the Residence.

HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE. P.L.V.—LANDS £28 10s., RESIDENCE £38, Gate Lodge £5 10s.

Solicitor: AMBROSE STEEN, Esq., B.A., Trimgate Street, Navan.

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY, 24 ST. MOBHI ROAD, GLASNEVIN.

Excellent, modern, red-brick Residence, nicely situated in this popular locality. Beside bus terminus, churches and schools. Vacant Possession.

Accommodation:—Hall, cloakroom, with TELEPHONE; 2 reception rooms, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, sep. w.c., kitchenette, with ELECTRIC COOKER. Outside:—Coal house, w.c., garage, double front garden. Ground rent, £11. P.L.V., £25. OFFERS INVITED.

SMITH GRIFFIN & CO. (W. A. SMITH, M.I.A.A.) (HEAD OFFICES: 56/57 PRUSSIA ST.), 140 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. TOP OF GRAFTON STREET. TELEPHONE 21303/4 (Two Lines).

RESIDENTIAL FARM.

MR. THOMAS GAUGHRAN HAS FAVOURED US WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL BY AUCTION, IN OUR OFFICE, 8 LUDLOW STREET, NAVAN, On MONDAY, 19th MARCH, 1945, at 1 o'clock, THE FARM, known as RUSHWEE, SLANE,

being part of the Lands of Abelstown, containing 60a. 3r. 25p., or thereabouts, Statute measure, Barony of Slane Upper, Co. Meath, Folio 7085, held subject to L.C.A. £22. P.L.V., £55 10s. on Lands, £3 on Buildings.

There is a substantial two-storey House, containing diningroom, sittingroom, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, w.c. The out-offices comprise large hay barn, stalls for 30 cattle, grain loft, etc.

The Lands are all in grass of excellent quality, the tillage requirements having been complied with by the Vendor on another farm.

This is a farm of really good Land, and can be recommended.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from Messrs. THOMAS NOONAN & SONS, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Navan, Co. Meath; or from the Auctioneers.

GRAZING FOR SHEEP. KILLINEY GOLF LINKS. ABOUT 60 ACRES TO LET.

STORE CATTLE SALE, AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN. EVERY WEDNESDAY.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

FURNITURE REMOVALS. STORAGE. PACKERS. BEVERLY SMYTH & SONS. ESTIMATES FREE. 30 SOUTH ANNE ST., DUBLIN. Phone 43087.

THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., LTD.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY NEXT, 15th INST. At our Property Salerooms, South Gt. George's St., at 1.30 p.m.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—In re MRS. MARGARET DALY, Deceased.

TWO WELL-SECURED PROFIT RENTS OF £118 1s. 5d. and £66 2s. 6d. PER ANNUM,

ARISING OUT OF NOS. 12 TO 18 (EVEN NUMBERS) PROSPECT AVENUE, NOS. 2, 4, 6, 8 AND 10 PROSPECT AVENUE, NOS. 8 AND 9 PROSPECT ROAD, AND NOS. 2, 4, 6, 8 AND 8a BOTANIC ROAD AND PROSPECT HOUSE. NOS. 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 AND 20 ST. MARGARET'S PARADE, BOTANIC ROAD. WILL BE SOLD IN 2 LOTS AS UNDER:—

LOT 1.—NO. 12 PROSPECT AVENUE—2-storey Dwellinghouse, let at 6s. per week; No. 14 ditto, let 4s. 6d. per week; No. 16 ditto, let to 4 tenants, producing 16s. per week, and No. 18 ditto, producing 17s. 9d. per week, and an adjusted rent of £78 7s. 4d. created by sub-lease for approximately 300 years from 1888, payable out of premises Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 Prospect Avenue, 8 and 9 Prospect Road, and 2, 4, 6, 8 and 8a Botanic Road, which are shop dwellings, and Prospect House.

Held under two Leases for approximately 500 years from 1862, and subject to a gross rent of £45 per annum.

LOT 2.—NOS. 10 TO 20 (even numbers) St. Margaret's Parade, Botanic Road. These are one-storey Cottages, let to single tenants. P.L.V., £5 each.

Held for 500 years from 1st January, 1862, and will be sold indemnified against rent.

Messrs. W. G. BRADLEY & SONS, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 11 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—In re MRS. JOHANNA MULLIGAN, Deceased.

33 HAROLDVILLE AVENUE, RIALTO (VACANT POSSESSION TO PURCHASER). CLOSE TO BUS, CHURCHES, SCHOOLS AND SHOPPING.

A two-storey, red-brick, non-basement terrace House, containing sittingroom, living room, with boiler grate; scullery, 3 bedrooms, bathroom and lavatory combined, electric light and gas, small yard and coal house.

The premises are held for 999 years from 1901, subject to £3 15s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V., £16.

Messrs. H. T. DIX & SON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 24 Clare Street, Dublin.

AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH. HOUSE AND FURNITURE, ON THE PREMISES, At 12 noon,

EXECUTOR'S SALE—In re MRS. GRACE CROWE, Deceased.

8 SHANGANAGH TERRACE, BALLYBRACK.

A DETACHED, DOUBLE-FRONTED, NON-BASEMENT HOUSE, WITH CHARMING VIEWS OF BRAY HEAD AND SUGAR LOAF MOUNTAINS, AND WITHIN 7 MINUTES' WALK OF BUS, 2 MINUTES' WALK OF R.C. CHURCH, AND 15 MINUTES FROM RAILWAY STATION AND SEA.

Accommodation:—Drawingroom and diningroom, 5 bedrooms, boxroom, bathroom, with hot and cold supply, wash basin, hot linen press separate w.c., tiled kitchen, with self-setting range; scullery, china pantry, electric light, power and gas; garden front and rear, tool shed and fuel house, side entrance and space for garage.

Held under lease for a term of 999 years from 1851, subject to £8 per annum, adjusted to £7 16s. 3d. P.L.V., £28.

The House will be sold at 12 noon, and the Furniture immediately after.

Seen on Order to View from the Auctioneers.

Messrs. W. G. BRADLEY & SONS, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 11 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PIANO, SILVER, ELECTRIC COOKER, ETC.

Including:—Upright Iron-frame Piano, in Mahogany Case, by H. J. Renn, London; Chesterfield 3-piece Suite, Inlaid Falling-leaf Table, with Ormolu mounts; Bed Settee, Walnut Bookcase, with Press under; Walnut China Cabinet, Inlaid Revolving Bookstand, Columbia Gramaphone and Records, Walnut Mirror-back Sideboard, Walnut Screw Expanding Dining Table, 6 Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, Electric Hoover, 3-piece Lloyd Loom Suite, Grandfather Clock, in Sheraton Case, with Brass Dial, Barometer, Violin and Case, Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpeting, Rugs and Linoleum, Singer Hand Sewing Machine, Silver Condiment Set, Case of Silver Tea Spoons, Cases Silver Spoons and Forks, Salvers, etc.; Tea and Dinner Services, Walnut and Oak Single Beds and Mattresses and Walnut Double Bed, Walnut Dressing Chest, Mahogany Dressing Chests, Inlaid Sheraton Gent.'s Wardrobe, fitted with Sliding Shelves and Drawers; Night Chair, Jackson Electric 2-Plate Cooker, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Mangle, Garden Seat, etc., etc.

On View Tuesday, 20th inst., from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale by Ticket, price Sixpence.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 22nd MARCH, At OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, at 1.30 p.m.

76 BEAUMONT AVENUE, CHURCHTOWN, DUNDRUM,

DETACHED DOUBLE-FRONTED BUNGALOW, CONVENIENT TO ALL SERVICES.

Containing:—2 reception rooms, with folding doors; 2 bedrooms, bathroom, with wash basin and lavatory combined; kitchenette, electric light, power and gas; greenhouse, garage, and good garden.

Held for 93 years from 1935, subject to £7 10s. 0d per annum. P.L.V., £16.

Seen by appointment with the Auctioneers.

J. H. GALLAGHER, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 15 College Green, Dublin.

N.B.—33 Haroldville Ave., Rialto will be open for inspection To-day (Saturday) from 11 o'c. a.m. to 6 o'c. p.m.

THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., LTD., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., 38/39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN. TELEPHONE 71351 (10 lines)—Private Branch Exchange.

JAMES ADAM & SONS' SALES.

ON VIEW THIS DAY (SATURDAY), 10 TILL 4.30.

EXOR.'S SALE. Re DR. HENRY T. BEWLEY, Decd.

27 PEMBROKE ROAD.

THE LEASEHOLD INTEREST IN THIS IMPORTANT PROPERTY WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES AT 27 PEMBROKE ROAD, On MONDAY NEXT, 12th MARCH, at 12 o'c. prompt.

Messrs. A. & L. GOODBODY, 24 Dame Street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

AND IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SALE OF THE HOUSE WE WILL SELL BY AUCTION THE ENTIRE VALUABLE CONTENTS.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.

PICTURES, BOOKS, CHINA AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, MOTOR CARS, etc., comprising briefly:—Antique Nelson incurved-front Sideboard, Antique Nelson Drop-Leaf Table, Mahy. Folding-top, Drop-leaf and other Occasional Tables; Antique Nelson Open Display Cabinet, pair Antique Ribbed and Brass-bound Plate Buckets, Antique Chippendale and Fork-back Carving Chairs, pair Antique Pierced and Shaped Ladder-back Chairs, Set Mahy. Economy Dining Tables, Set 6 Mahy. Dining Chairs, Mahy. Pedestal Writing Desk, Mahy. Enclosed and Open Bookcases, Inlaid Mahy. Revolving Table Bookcase, Lady's Mahy. Writing Desk, Mahy. Slope-front Bureau, Cabinet, Mahy. 2-door Cabinet, Inlaid Mahy. Drawingroom Suite, Chesterfield Couch, Easy and Occasional Chairs and Sofas, Grandfather Mahy. Clock, pr. Mahy. Hall Chairs, Oak Rug Chest, Mahy. Chamber Tables, Mahy. Wall Cabinets, Anthracite Stove, Brass Coal Helmet, Brass Fenders, Brasses, Curbs, etc.; Electric Fittings, Clocks, Screens, Stools, Brass Trays, Brasses and Bronzes, pair Marli Horses, Silver Cup, pair Satsuma and other Japanese Vases, collection Blue and White Ornamental China, Ornamental Table China and Glass Ware. Pictures, including Oil Paintings by Augustus Burke and others; Water Colours, Engravings and Etchings; large quantity Books, Carpet and Felt, Curtains, Parquetry and other Linos, Cricket Bats, Toys, etc.; Travelling Cases, Fireproof Safe, Viking Electric Vacuum Cleaner, Gent.'s Mahy. and Mirror-door Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Toilet Glasses, Washstands, Bedside Pedestals, Mahy. Single Beds, Springs and Hair Mattresses, Iron Beds, complete; Child's large Cot, in Mahy.; Deal Presses, White Enamel Chest Drawers, Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Chairs, Utensils, Scales, etc.; Gas Cooker, Step Ladders, Lawn Mower and Garden Tools, Riley Open Coupé, Austin Tourer and old Motor Cycle. Entire on View To-day (Saturday), 10 till 4.30. Sale Monday Next at 12.30, immediately after the Sale of the Leasehold. Admission on days of View and Sale by Ticket only. 1/- each (to prevent overcrowding).

EXOR.'S SALE. Re MRS. H. L. RYAN, Decd.

20 BELMONT GARDENS, DONNYBROOK, DESIRABLE, MODERN, SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, WELL-BUILT, AND CONVENIENTLY SITUATED ON THIS QUIET ROAD, WITH PLEASANT, OPEN OUTLOOK.

JAMES ADAM & SONS are instructed to offer the Leasehold Interest FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION at ESTATE OFFICES, 17 MERRION ROW, on MONDAY, 19th MARCH, AT 2.30 P.M., prompt.

Tenure: Held under Lease for a term of 230 years from 1935, subject to £9 per annum. P.L.V., £25. Accommodation: Square entrance hall, with cloak cupboard and shelved pantry; drawingroom and diningroom, with sliding doors, modern mahogany mantels and tiled fireplaces, bay windows to front, French doors to sun loggia and garden at back. Upstairs there are 3 bedrooms, bathroom, with tiled walls, porcelain enamel bath with spray, pedestal wash basin, also linen cupboard with copper cylinder and immersion heater; separate w.c., attic. The kitchen has red tiled floor, Beeston Boiler and trough, with h. and c. Outside kitchen door are larder, w.c., fuel house and door to garage. Electric light and gas. Small gardens front and back. Vacant Possession to purchaser.

For Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. S. S. & E. REEVES & SONS, Solicitors, 51 Merrion Square; or to the Auctioneers.

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Auctioneers & Valuers, M.I.A.A., 17 MERRION ROW & 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES,

SALE TUESDAY, 20th MARCH, AT 110 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.

RENTS—CITY OF CORK.

£25 5s. 6d. P.A., 23 PATRICK ST., CORK.

23 Patrick Street, Cork (Messrs. Montague Burton and Barry's Restaurant), held under lease for 901 years at £39 6s. 10d. per annum, and sub-leased for 880 years at £64 12s. 4d. per annum. Profit rent for sale, £25 5s 6d. Poor Law Valuation, £240.

£82 3s. 6d. P.A., LEITRIM ST. & WALSH PLACE, CORK.

16-19 Leitrim Street and 1 to 7 Walsh Place, held under fee-farm grant, subject to £60 0s. 10d. per annum, and leased at rents amounting to £142 14s 4d. (eight collections). Profit rent, £82 3s. 6d. per annum for Sale. P.L.V., £226 10s. 0d.

£37 9s. 8d. P.A., LEITRIM ST., ETC., CORK.

30 Leitrim Street, 9-10 Hardwick Street, and 1-6 Richmond Hill, Cork. Held under fee-farm grant, and sold indemnified against rent. Leased to two lessees at £28 2s. 2d. and £9 7s. 6d. P.L.V. £80 10s 0d.

£19 14s. 10d. FEE-FARM RENT.

6 Grattan Street, Cork, held in fee-simple, and leased under fee-farm grant at the yearly rent, now adjusted to £19 14s. 0d. P.L.V., £25.

£24 10s. 0d. P.A., POULADUFF ROAD, CORK.

5 to 35 Pouladuff Road, Cork, Dwellinghouses, held in fee-simple, and leased to one lessee at £24 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V., £88 10s 0d.

BARRINGTON & SON, Solicitors, 10 Ely Place, Dublin.

UPTON LODGE, 30 GRACEPARK TERRACE, DRUMCONDRA.

Semi-detached, non-basement, 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom. Lease lives for ever. Ground rent, £1 7s. 6d., of which adjoining property pays 13s. 10d. P.L.V., £14. Vacant Possession.

A. I. & A. ROBINSON, Solicitors, 119 Stephen's Green.

SALE AT ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET, Commencing THURSDAY, 22nd MARCH.

JEWELLERY—Diamond and other Jewellery, Rings, Brooches, Bracelets, Pendants in Diamonds and other Stones, Cigarette Cases, etc.

SILVER—Antique Salvers, Centrepiece, Loving Cups, Tankards, Tea and Coffee Sets, Vases, Table Services of Spoons, Forks, Peppers, Salt Cellars, Mustard Pots, etc.

PLATED WARE—Tea and Coffee Sets, Salvers, Candelabra, Entrée Dishes, Baskets, Coasters, Urns, Wine Coolers, Revolving Dishes, Table Ware, etc.

PORCELAIN—Wedgwood and other Dinner Services, Antique and other Tea Sets, Coffee Sets, Figures, Vases, Plaques, etc.

GLASS—Waterford Peggins, Decanters, Lustres, Cut and other Wines, Pickle Jars, Vases, Drinking Sets, etc.

PICTURES—Oil Paintings, Engravings, Drawings, Sporting and other Prints.

FURNITURE, ETC.—Dining Tables, Inlaid and other Sideboards, Sheraton and Corner Wash Stands, Chippendale Grandfather's Chairs, Buhl Chests Drawers, Mahogany and Satinwood Toilet Table and Mirror to match, Sets of Sheraton, Nelson and Reproduction Chairs; Antique Card and other Tables, Grandfather's Clocks, Lacquer Work Tables and Upright Stand, Screens, Inlaid China Display and other Cabinets and Display Tables, Gardes Vins, Mahogany and other Bureaus and Bookcases, Antique Mahogany and other Chests Drawers, Chippendale and other Wardrobes, Pedestals, Inlaid Mahogany and other Bedroom Suites, pair Twin Bedsteads, Wilton and other Carpets and Rugs, Boudoir Grand Pianoforte, by Collard and Collard, etc., etc.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., Auctioneers, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY'S SALES.

AUCTION at 3 LINCOLN PLACE, WED., 21st, at 2.30 p.m., 37 TRITONVILLE ROAD, SANDYMOUNT.

Situated on the main Sandymount bus route, and beside Star of the Sea Church, the premises comprise a two-storey terrace House, containing 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, e. light and gas. Garden in front and very large at rear. Rear entrance. Garage space. Rear overlooks Londonbridge Road Hockey Grounds. In perfect condition throughout.

Held under Lease up to 1953, subject to £10 p.a.; thereafter for 99 years, subject to £8 p.a. P.L.V., £13.

Conditions of Sale from D. C. MAHER, Esq., Solicitor, 20 Westland Row, Dublin.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A., M.I.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, 3 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN. 'Phone 62598.

FOR OTHER AUCTIONS SEE PAGE 5.

GOOD & GANLY.

MACHINERY AUCTION.

TRACTORS, VANS, MOTOR-CARS, FORD LORRY, Etc.

WE will hold an AUCTION SALE OF MACHINERY, TRACTORS, TIMBER FELLING EQUIPMENT, MOTOR CARS, etc., on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 14th MARCH, commencing at One o'clock, in the Yard at 18 USHER'S QUAY. The following are some of the articles to be offered:—Fordson Caterpillar Tractor, Fordson Industrial Tractor (with pneumatic tyres and fitted with winch), Ford 10 cwt. Van (as new), mechanical portable Cross-cut Saw, 3 Timber Trailers (2 with pneumatic tyres), Push Bench, Steel Charcoal Kiln, Wire Rope (various), quantity Felling Axes, Wedges, Cross-cut Saws, Metal Sack Weighing Scales, Hardy Pick Patent Compressor (guaranteed perfect condition), 2 Chrysler Motor Cars, 2 Ford Bodies, various Garage Equipment, Clayton and Shuttleworth Steam Wagon and Trailer (first-class insurance certificate), Ford Lorry (model A back axle), Drive Shafts, Crown Wheels, Trailer Axle on solid tyres, 2 complete Sets of Wheels for Timber Hauling, Tenoning and Scribing Machine, Lathe, complete with chuck; several lengths Heavy Copper Cable, small Steam Boiler, Builder's Wire Lashings, new Scott 20 h.p. Motor, Garage-type Water Booster, 400lbs. pressure; Higgs 20 h.p. Motor, Merryweather, Soda and Acid Trailer, Fire Pump, etc., etc.

ON VIEW TUESDAY AND MORNING OF SALE. DELIVERY THURSDAY ONLY.

Terms—Cash and 5 p.c. Auction Fees.

Admission to View and Sale, 1/-.

Note—All goods purchased must be removed on the day following Sale.

AUCTION FRIDAY NEXT, 16th MARCH, at 2.30 p.m., IN OUR SALEROOMS, 8 & 9 RANELAGH ROAD (INVESTMENT).

These two Houses are conveniently situated. They are in need of some repairs, but this fact has been fully considered when fixing the reserve price. No. 8 is Let monthly at £100 p.a. free. P.L.V., £23. No. 9 is Let yearly at £45 p.a. P.L.V., £18 10s. 0d. In No. 8 Landlord is responsible for outside and tenant for inside repairs, and in No. 9 tenant is responsible for all repairs, save fair wear and tear. The Houses will be sold subject to £5 each.

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FURNITURE, 55 FITZWILLIAM SQUARE.

HAVING sold the above property, WE WILL SELL A RESIDUE OF FURNITURE on the Premises, on WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH, commencing at 1 p.m., sharp. Included are the following items:—Jacobean Falling-leaf Gate-leg Table, Chippendale Armchair, 4-tier Walnut Whatnot, Medical Scales, Couch, Oval Gilt Mirror, several Carpets (Turkey Carpet, 21' x 18'), 35 yds. Stair Carpet (worn) and other Carpets, Brass Stair Rods and Eyes, Pictures, pair Open Book Shelves, small Gallery-top Table, Rocking Chair, Buhl Cabinet, Sofa, Brocade Curtains, several Single and Double Beds and Mattresses, Rugs, Ottoman Couch, Washstand and Ware, Cretonne Curtains, Mhg. and Painted Chests of Drawers, Ornaments, Bentwood and Kitchen Chairs, Kitchen Furniture, Tables, Chairs, Presses, Mangles, Set of 6 Dining Chairs, quantity of Medical Books, etc.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE ONLY. DELIVERY THURSDAY, 10-1 O'C. ONLY. Terms: Cash and 5 p.c. Auction Fees.

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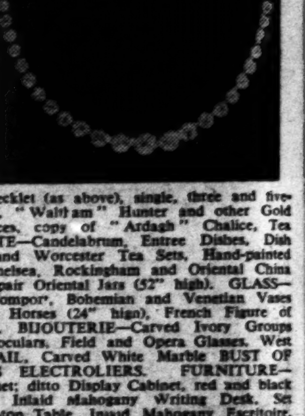

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comprising briefly as follows:—JEWELLERY—Necklet (as above), single, three and five-stone Diamond Rings; Brooches, Pearl Necklets, "Waltham" Hunter and other Gold Watches, etc. SILVER—Tea and Coffee Services, copy of "Ardagh" Chalice, Tea Caddies, Salvers, Bright-cut Spoons, etc. PLATE—Candelabrum, Entree Dishes, Dish Covers, Cutlery, etc. CHINA—Rockingham and Worcester Tea Sets, Hand-painted Dessert Services, Dresden, Sèvres, Worcester, Chelsea, Rockingham and Oriental China Vases, Ornaments, Figures, including a majestic pair Oriental Jars (52" high). GLASS—Waterford Circular Salad Bowl, Claret Jugs, Compots, Bohemian and Venetian Vases and Lustres. BRONZES—Handsome pair Marli Horses (24" high), French Figure of Drummer, Antique Brassware, Boule Desk Set. BIJOUTERIE—Carved Ivory Groups and Figures, Set Snooker and Billiard Balls, Binoculars, Field and Opera Glasses, West African Trophies, TWO SETS OF CHAIN MAIL, Carved White Marble BUST OF HENRY GRATTAN, handsome CUT GLASS ELECTROLIERS. FURNITURE—Antique Mahogany Fall-front Secretaire and Cabinet; ditto Display Cabinet, red and black Boule Card Tables, Sheraton Corner Cabinet, Inlaid Mahogany Writing Desk, Set Mahogany Trio Tables, Nelson Mahogany Flap-top Table, Inlaid Mahogany Escritoire, Chinese Lacquer Work Table, Chippendale and Hepplewhite Chairs, Set Mahogany Economy Dining Tables, Mahogany-case Bracket Clock (Westminster Chimes), 3 Georgian Mahogany Single Chairs, 3-piece Inlaid Mahogany Settee Suite, Mahogany Occasional and Wine Tables, Oak Draw-leaf Dining Table, two Oak Roll-top Desks (small size), "Phillips" Electric Radio, Mahogany and Oak Bedroom Suites, Mahogany Tallboys, Mahogany and Satin Walnut Wardrobes, Dressing Chests, etc., Oak Bed and Patent Spring Mattress, Carved Oak Rug Chest, Hall Table, Turkey and Axminster Carpets, Linoleum and Rubber Floor Covering, Italian Violin, Rhodesian Wildcat Skin Rug, Silver Fox Fur, "Underwood" Brief-size Typewriter, Standard Motor, with foot control, for "Singer" Sewing Machine; OIL PAINTINGS, "Baxter" Prints, Set "Malton's" Views of Dublin (uncoloured-framed), Sets 6 Prints in Colour of "Bianconi Coaches in Ireland." BOOKS—Works of Irish interest, including O'Donovan's "Annals of the Four Masters," Dublin "Penny Journal," Stokes's "Six Months in Appenines," "Kildare Journal," long run; Cogan's "Meath," 3 vols.; Petrie's "Round Towers," Father Ronan's "Reformation in Ireland and in Dublin," Grose's "Antiquities of Ireland," R.S. Antiquaries, long run, in parts; Irish MSS. by O'Curry; also Jackson's "English and Irish Goldsmiths and their Marks on Silver Plate, etc.," 1 vol., 1921; Hobson's "The Wares of the Ming Dynasty" (limited edition), Thos. Sheraton, "The Cabinet Maker's Drawing Book," 1st edition; J. A. Atkinson, "The Miseries of Human Life," 1st edition, coloured prints; 36 copies "The Connoisseur," two copies of the Koran, in Arabic, illuminated Goose leaf), and other Miscellaneous, Religious and other works.

View Tuesday, 10 to 5 o'c. Terms—Cash and 5 p.c. Fees.

N.B.—The Piano has been sold pre-Auction.

THURSDAY, 22nd MARCH, at 2.30 p.m., AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST. (UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF)

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FURNITURE, all in excellent condition, very briefly comprises:—Kitchen Furniture, Mangle, Acme Wringer, Gas Cooker, Sheets, Blankets, Bed Linen, Mahogany Wardrobes, Sheraton Tables, Cabinet and Chairs, Lino, Stair Carpet, Carpet and Rugs, Mahogany Tables and Chairs, Oval Candelabra Mirror, Cabinets and Chairs, Double and Single Beds, Vi-Spring Mattresses, Mahogany Dining Tables and 8 Spoon-back Chairs, Occasional Chairs, Lawn Mower, Corrugated Iron, Garden Hose, large quantity of Glass and China, Tantalus, Barometers, Cuckoo Clock and other Clocks, Writing Desk, the Gardener's Friend Propagator; Meat Safes, Lot of Books, Double Damask Linen Cloths, Sheraton Mahogany Cabinet, Case of Fish Knives and Forks, Electric Kettle, a large Folding Pocket Camera, by Houghton-Butcher, Ltd.; good Pictures and Engravings, and large number of Miscellaneous Lots.

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